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NEW YEAR MARKED BY MANY SOCIAL AFFAIRS

Dinners and Dances Attended by Exclusive Set When 1911 Is Welcomed by Gay Throngs

(By MARGARET WATTS DePEYSTER.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The opening week of the new year in the world of society in New York was marked by the number of dances and dinners among the "400." While some of the dances were given in honor of debutantes others were given in the interest of charity institutions and were all attended by the exclusive society folks who gave their aid as well as their means to make the event a success. Among those who lent their aid to these dances were such leaders as Mrs. Sloan, Mrs. George Gould, Mrs. Drexel and Mrs. Vanderbilt. They began with the return of those who spent the holidays out of the city. Quite a list of dances are included in the social calendar for the month of January.

The marriage of a number of young couples will also add luster to the social events of the month, as will a number of receptions yet to be given in honor of debutantes. But as the debutante enjoyed the sea of honor in the opening of the social season she has been forced to give way for the older set who will reign during the closing part of the year. The end of the first week in January, however, was marked by the exodus of a number of New York's society folk who will spend the latter part of the winter and the spring in travel abroad. On Saturday quite a company, including Miss Agnes Edgar, one of the leading debutantes of the season, left for Southern Europe. Already invitations are out and plans being made for a gay season at Cairo and Algeries. Others will soon join in the gayeties in Southern Italy. But the season will not close in New York for several weeks yet and the calendar for the month of February contains announcements that will keep society moving between the resorts and the city mansion where functions are being given.

TO AID CHILDREN

Friends of Countess Lazzo Szechenyi, formerly Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, have heard with much interest from Budapest that the multi-millionaire lady princess has accepted the office of vice president of the National Children's Aid Society. Since accepting the office the countess has given out an interview in which she tells of her aim in life. "I love me," she said in answer to a question from a newspaper writer who had been received for the purpose of giving an interview and who had asked whether she intended to enter into active duty of the society, "it is not an empty phrase if I say that I would like to lighten the burden of all the afflicted and suffering. It is hardly possible except through channels of philanthropic endeavor. I shall dedicate my time and put to the material resources at my command readily to help others. In Hungary especially in Budapest and in certain other parts of the country, as I am aware there is plenty of misery. According to my idea we must first help the destitute and suffering children who must be brought up sound in body and mind and therefore I gladly accepted the vice presidency of the National Children's Aid Society. Through it I may accomplish some good."

LIKES OERMEZOE

When I first came to Hungary I was accompanied by my mother and my younger brother with whom I live in very good terms. Late I took a fancy to Oermezoe Castle in which was born there too I love very much at home in it, and we entertain numerous hunting parties there. In Budapest on the other hand I still feel a guest thing as we do in a hotel until our own place is ready.

Then of course you are going often to entertain on a large scale.

At Oermezoe we shall take a position in Budapest society I am confident with our talk all fortune. As for myself I am concerned I am not too fond of appearing in public but to a certain extent I shall willingly do what is expected of me."

Speaking about the new palace the Countess said:

"All the work and all fittings will be, of course, as far as possible, the products of Hungarian craftsmen and artist. I have a very high opinion of Hungarian art. No, we shall not bring over here any pictures from the gallery at Oermezoe Castle. We shall try to get a new collection gradually. On the other hand, certain fixtures and conveniences which are best made in America or cannot be had here, we have ordered from the other side of the Atlantic."

WEDDING QUIET.

Because of the recent death of the bride's father, the late Commander Frederick A. Abercrombie Miller, the wedding of Miss Edith Abercrombie Miller to Walter R. Tuckerman of Washington, D. C., at Morristown, N. J., was a quiet affair attended by members of the immediate families only.

The ceremony was in the Madison Grace Church the officiating clergyman being the Rev. Joseph N. Blanchard, rector, assisted by the Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, rector of St. John's Church, Washington. Following the wedding a breakfast was served at Loantaka Farms, the home of Mrs. de Peyster. Mr. and Mrs. Tuckerman will reside in Washington.

Charles A. Snyder and bride, formerly Miss Jean Louise Massey of Long Branch, N. J., have gone to the home of Mrs. Snyder in San Francisco where they will make their residence. The marriage was one of the social events of the holiday season in Long Branch although the couple crossed the river and were married at the Church of the Incarnation, Madison avenue and Thirty-fifth street and following the ceremony a dinner was served at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel.

WEAR POLO CAPS

Mrs. Perry Belmont and other women horsely have taken to polo caps for morning wear. The caps take the place of the turban. Matched fur sets with polo caps are the latest fad from Paris and such followers of the fashion to the minute as Miss Katherine Elkins and her cousin Miss Katherine Davis Brown have adopted them. Miss Elkins and her cousin have been shopping long about the city and they wear long shaggy coats of Siberian fox with cap, tippet, and muff of soft yellow mink.

Frederick Townsend Martin has started a series of dinner parties for Saturdays in January. On the 14th Mr. Martin will entertain for Mrs. Vanderbilt.

Melville Sternberg, the bride formerly Miss Lillian Fisher, have gone to the home of Mr. Sternberg in Ohio where they will reside. They were married at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher on St. Nicholas avenue. Following the ceremony the couple was tendered a dinner at Hotel Astor.

SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. Reginald Rondis and her mother, Mrs. Strong, who spent the holidays at their home in Erie, Pa., have returned to New York and again taken up their apartments at the Plaza.

A subscription dance for the benefit of the East Side Clinic for Children, Dr. Hugo Willerstein president, will be given by the New York Mozart Society on Friday evening, January 24 in the Hotel Astor. Tickets may be procured from Charles W. Mahon, chairman of such is Montague street, Brooklyn, or of Adolphe Willerstein of 69 West Eighty-first street.

Elaborate preparations are being made by the New York City Federation of Women's Clubs for its ninth annual convention to be held at the Hotel Astor, Monday, February 3.

Mrs. Belle De Zeng is president of the Federation and Mrs. William Cummings Story honorary president. The other officers are Mrs. Mary Garrett Hay and Mrs. Percy Cleghorn, vice presidents; Miss Alice Gifford, recording secretary; Mrs. Westervelt, treasurer and Mrs. Willard Demarest, historian.

SOCIAL LEADERS IN THE NEWS

MISS MARGUERITE HENDRICKSON JOHNSTON

MARY JOHNSTON THE WOMAN NOVELIST WHO IS TO WORK FOR THE SUFFRAGE CAUSE

JACK" CUDAHY WEALTHY MEAT PACKER REPORTED TO HAVE MADE UP WITH HIS DIVORCED WIFE

London American Colony Await King's First Levee

(By LADY MARY MANWARING)

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The American colony especially that portion of it which has not been presented at Court is on the edge for the first levee of King George which probably will be held early in February shortly after the assembling of the new parliament. There was a report that no levee would be held until the period of mourning for King Edward had expired which would be May 7. This would have been so near the date of coronation that it is not been true it is doubtful if there would have been an opportunity to be presented until pretty well midsummer.

The announcement therefore, which is semi official, that a levee will be held in February is most welcome. Already the maneuvering for a place on Ambassador Reid's list for presentation has begun.

The King and Queen will hold a diplomatic and official court at Buckingham palace towards the end of February or early in March. It is probable that the recently introduced regulations for the ordinary court will be considerably altered as they have not worked well during the last few years. On the other hand the new rules for the levees have proved most successful.

PRESERVES LETTERS

Queen Alexandra has carefully preserved all the letters of condolence her Majesty received on the death of the King and these are now numbered among her most treasured possessions. The letters have been divided into categories those from royalties and intimate friends, and those from thousands of the late King's subjects not only in this country but in all parts of the Empire many of them being quite poor people and from little children.

The letters have been carefully bound in plain dark red calf with a small crown on the cover. Queen Alexandra specially prized those letters of sympathy which came from poor people and though it was obviously impossible for her Majesty to reply to them all during the first few months she wrote to several of these correspondents thanking them for their kind sympathy.

It is persistently rumored that the engagement of Prince Arthur of Connaught who has lately been paying a round of country house visits will shortly be announced. Despite various inspired denials which have been circulated privately it is believed that he will take the daughter of an English duchess for his bride.

UNBIDDEN GUESTS

Prominent London hostesses who intend waging war on the unbidden guest during the coming season are said to be determined that no one unless he or she can produce a card of invitation will be allowed across the threshhold of any house where a dance or entertainment is in progress. To make sure that this rule will be carried out professional clock takers are to be employed.

It is heard that Miss Stella Campbell daughter of Mr. Patrick Campbell is engaged and that the marriage will take place at the end of the present season. The happy young man has yet to be chosen. He will live with Miss Campbell at his flat and though his sister-in-law-to-be has no objection. Very soon afterwards the engagement was concluded Miss Campbell intends to retire from the stage on her marriage.

KITCHENER LIKED

The appointment of Field Marshal Lord Kitchener as Lord High Constable of England for the approaching coronation gives very general satisfaction. It will give England's greatest soldier a place second only to that of the Earl Marshal who is the Duke of Norfolk the hereditary Duke of Great Britain. In the days when this office was hereditary it was the greatest in the kingdom under the king himself. And while the Lord High Constable is now only appointed for special occasions it is an office of much dignity and honor.

The career of Lord Mount Stephen who recently entertained the King and Queen has been one of the great romances of our time. He began life as a lad boy in Scotland, then was a draper's apprentice and worked afterwards as an assistant in a St. Paul's church yard establishment.

Then he decided to try his luck in Canada and found there in the shape of the Canadian Pacific Railway the means of acquiring his colossal wealth. Also he got noted as the reward for his labors in its connection a peerage being the first in the colonies to attain this distinction. The list of his benefactions is said to be endless.

Lady Mount Stephen is one of the oldest friends of the Queen. As Miss Gian Tunell, daughter of the late Captain R. C. Tunell, R. N., she was before her marriage in 1897 lady-in-waiting to Princess Mary Duchess of Teck and that most popular of royal ladies and her daughter took a deep interest in her wedding.

Lady Mount Stephen plays comparatively little part in social life in town, preferring Brocket to her fine residence in Carlton House Terrace and she is very popular in the Hatfield neighborhood. A visit by the King and Queen in December has been a regular institution at Brocket for years past.

"GEORGE DREADNOUGHT"

A popular cleric has said that as His Majesty will go down to history as George the Dreadnought. The new king's own expressed desire is however to follow his father's example as a peacemaker and it is significant therefore that the first international role which King George has been called on to fill is that of arbitrator in a dispute between two foreign nations.

King Edward was to have adjudicated in the celebrated Venezuelan contention between the United States and Chili and King George has undertaken to accept the responsibility on behalf of the government of those countries.

The trouble began thirty years ago and concerns a mining concession in Bolivia.

Both parties will present a single note to King George in which they will set forth their respective claims in detail.

It is a ticklish position for His Majesty who cannot pretend to be an expert in mining claims. He will therefore of course seek competent advice probably by appointing a commission of two or three experts headed by some eminent lawyer. The commission's report will be submitted to the King, who will accept or reject as his common sense decides.

Curiously enough a similar arbitration task fell to the lot of King Edward on the death of Queen Victoria. This was the boundary dispute between Chili and Argentina who were quarreling about which of them owned certain parts of Patagonia.

Queen Victoria was to have given judgment but the Queen died and King Edward took up the task. Just as the two countries were on the point of war his late Majesty gave his decision which satisfied both. This King Edward looks on his reign as he ended it—as the peacemaker. The coincidence augurs well for the future of King George V.

Where Women RUN STREET CARS

They have women conductors on the electric cars of Santiago, the capital of Chile. This was made necessary by the late war and imposed upon women the work usually done by men. The fusion has been kept up the women having proved equally as efficient as the men had been.

One of the most peculiar customs seen here is the evening promenade in the plaza or park, which is attended by young ladies and young men and quite small boys and girls. They do not mix but keep separate paths.

Not even the little girls and boys are finished coquettes save the logical Point. Their eyes langidly observe every man and boy in the plaza and they take care that each shall receive a due share of their smile.

Another curious custom which prevails in Santiago, and which is joined by those fortunate enough to have fine horses and carriages is the promenade at the Parque Causino, a beautiful park near the center of the city.

A company of mounted police stand in single file in the center of the drive and the carriages with uniform of coachmen and footmen and beautifully gowned women and fashionably dressed men occupying the carriages ride around and around these mounted police.

Some times there are two or as many as six rows of carriages coming in the opposite direction and alternating the ladies smiling and the gentlemen dipping their hats in a polite manner. This promenading lasts from 5 o'clock in the afternoon until 8 o'clock in the evening.

NEW YORK PASTOR HOLDS OUT HAND TO LABORERS

Machinist-Minister Stelzle Has Remarkable Record in Pulpit.

(By D. V. FRANCIS)

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—One of the most interesting of the active church workers in New York is Rev. Charles Stelzle superintendent of the Department of Church and Labor of the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions. Stelzle was a machinist before he entered the ministry. In fact he is a machinist yet as he holds a working card in the machinists' union.

When he first entered the ministry he took up as his life work the establishing of closer relations between the church and the workingman whom he knew from experience was drifting away from the church and becoming more and more dominated by irreligious or at least anti-church influences. Some years ago he with Rev. Dr. John R. Davis who had been a newspaper reporter and a good one were appointed by the Presbytery of New York delegates to the Central Labor Federation. They were the first clergymen to sit as labor organization as representing a church body. Largely through Mr. Stelzle's efforts the Department of Church and Labor was formed by the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions and it has done a big work.

Some six or eight years ago the board secured the use of an abandoned Presbyterian church on Fourth street and Second avenue and the Labor Temple was established. Here under church influence all sessions are held in which laboring men are still interested lectures, religious exercises are held. The church and organized labor are being brought into touch.

BISHOPS IN REUNION

Think of a family reunion including two bishops on doctor of divinity and other clergyman and a divinity student. That's a record hard to beat. It happened at Washington on Christmas day.

Among those present at the dinner were Bishop George H. Kinsolving of Texas, Bishop L. L. Kinsolving of Brazil, Rev. Dr. Arthur B. Kinsolving pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Baltimore, Rev. W. L. Kinsolving of Perrysmal, Md., and Charles J. Kinsolving candidate for orders at the New York seminary.

In recent weeks the question of unsuitability of the present fashion in huge hats to church wear has cropped up in various quarters and the monstrous millinery of the moment has been denounced from the pulpits of a cathedral and convenience and has been abstracting to the preacher and church as to the congregation. The bishop of Salford, England in his message to the Catholic federation has taken up the subject with vigor and says: "The extravagant hat of the present day is both unbecoming and inconvenient and is evil. Why not the mantilla? Surely nothing can be more suitable or becoming to a woman in church than the real black veil worn in Spain and Italy. Every woman who has an audience of the Holy Father has to wear it. Ladies think nothing of going in the streets or trains to entertainments in evening dress with a slight shawl or veil, and nobody remarks it."

WASHINGTON'S SOCIETY RESUMES ITS ACTIVITY

Many Changes to Be Noted in Official Set After July 4th; Mrs. Cromwell "Lady Bountiful"

(By CONSTANCE CARRUTHERS.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Society in the national capital has resumed its gayety since the return of those who spent the holidays away from the city and the past week has been one of the most brilliant of the season. Washington noted as it is for its charming hostesses easily takes rank among the first cities of the country as a social center. Not only are these society matrons to be found among the official household and permanent residences of Washington but attending the foreign diplomatic circles as well. One of the most charming and successful hostesses in the capital is Madame Jusserand wife of the French Ambassador. M. Jusserand, Madame Jusserand and is one of the most accomplished leaders of the diplomatic set. Before her marriage she was Elsie Richards daughter of a Boston banker. She believes she excels in weaving harmonies rather than portraits and her toilet made in Paris from the tip of her toque to the toe of her boots. Sometimes she is seen in a walking dress of velvet of dark color trimmed with a lighter shade of silk embroidery, her hat of the same material is the gown with a bird of paradise on the right side. Her furs of sable are the identical shade as the velvet and her boots of suede have velvet uppers.

SOCIETY TO CHANGE

After the 4th of March official society will experience a change as a result of the election. Senators and representatives whose families have become identified with the social life of Washington through years of residence here will be missed after their departure.

While the round of dinners have been going on for some time the big dances of the season have only started. The German Ambassador and Baroness von Bernstoff and the French Ambassador Madame Jusserand gave their dinner before Christmas but at several of the embassies the dinner was not given until after the holidays.

Among other winter amusements which are fairly under way is the big skating club of which Baroness Elizabeth Rosen daughter of the Russian Ambassador and Senor Don Alberto of the Mexican embassy are the prime movers. The morning is dedicated to these of the younger set, the afternoon is the time which the members meet at the Arcade, the giant pleasure place of Washington.

IS LADY BOUNTIFUL

Mrs. Oliver Cromwell a widow who is prominent in Washington society for her many entertainments is very fond of young folks and says social life in America has become colorless and monotonous because young persons do not have the prominence they should. She points to the South in the ante bellum days which she asserts constituted the most famous social era which the western hemisphere has known. Everything in those days centered about the balls and the older folks were content to sit back and let the youngsters run things. Now the elders claim tribute, and the dinners and dances have only a sprinkling of the young Eaton debutante functions are planned to please the parents of the guests and as well as the "buds." Mrs. Cromwell's house has been filled since Thanksgiving day with young persons, sometimes twenty at a time. Miss Louise Cromwell is coming out was deferred from last winter because of her father's illness and death.

NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION

One of the social events of the season was the President's New Year reception on Monday. The reception began at 11 a. m. when the vice-president and the members of the cabinet and members of the diplomatic corps were received. The Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court the Judges of the Court of Commerce, Judges of the Court of Customs Appeals, Judges of the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, Judges of the United States Court of Claims, Judges of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, former members of the cabinet, Ambassadors and Ministers of the United States were received at 12:30 p. m.

Senators and Representatives and Delegates in Congress were received at 11:30 a. m.

At 12 noon officers of the Army and Navy, officers of the Marine Corps, commanding generals and general staff of the militia of the District of Columbia were received.

Then followed at 1:15 the reception to the collector general, assistant attorney general, assistant postmasters general, the regents and secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, the civil service commission, the interstate commerce commission, the board of railroad safety, the commissioners of the Panama canal, commissioners of the municipal corporations of the District of Columbia, the justices of the United States circuit court of appeals, the president of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

At 1:30 p. m. the Chinese minister, the Chilean minister, the Argentine minister, the Mexican minister, the Brazilian minister, the Cuban minister, the Japanese minister, the Peruvian minister, the Russian minister, the Spanish minister, the Swedish minister, the Norwegian minister, the Portuguese minister, the Siamese minister, the Turkish minister, the Belgian minister, the Dutch minister, the Italian minister, the Austro-Hungarian minister, the Swiss minister, the Roumanian minister, the Bulgarian minister, the Servian minister, the Greek minister, the Danish minister, the Haitian minister, the Nicaraguan minister, the Honduran minister, the Salvadorian minister, the Guatemalan minister, the Costa Rican minister, the Panamanian minister, the Liberian minister, the Persian minister, the Chinese minister, the Corean minister, the Siamese

Washington Delighted that Sharp-tongued Baroness is Leaving

BARONESS DES PLANCHES

MISS MABEL T. BOARDMAN.

BARONESS HENGELMULLER

MRS JOHN B HENDERSON JR.

MRS. WM. TAFT

Wife of Austrian Ambassador called the society of nation's capital "Provincial and Dull," it is alleged—Constant thorn in the side of the elect of the city. Leaders protest against the indictment. How Washington differs from other capitals.

WASHINGTON — the most provincial capital of the world!

That is the accusation which Baroness Hengelmuller, the wife of the ambassador from Austria, has hurled at the nation's law center.

"Provincial and dull," is alleged to have been the exact wording of the indictment, which the high-spirited countess is said to have brought against us.

Her extremely undiplomatic utterance is regarded in Washington as positive proof that she expects to leave town and that this is her last dart at the society which she found so distasteful. Previous impeachments are recorded as accountable for the rumored departure.

Needless to say, Washington is breathing *great sighs of relief* at the news, for the wife of the Austrian ambassador has long been a thorn in the flesh of the society of the nation's capital. She has been the one woman who has dared to defy the Taft social regime.

RECOGNIZED LEADER.

A recognized leader in society at the capital, the Baroness has created more than one sensation by her utter disregard of Washington customs and conventions. She favored the European Sunday and has not hesitated to give affairs on the Sabbath in the face of the disapproval of the wife of the President.

She has gone even further in defying *the Taft* social rule by pointing to the fact that William Howard Taft has been ostracised by the Vanderbilts, the Sloans and other members of New York society since his assumption of office. Only one other member of the noblesse stationed in Washington has had the temerity in recent years to make such an arraignment of this country's capital as has Baroness Hengelmuller. The other woman was Baroness Des Planches, wife of the Italian ambassador, who held the post at Washington until six months ago. The Baroness Des Planches was so indiscreet as to make a remark at a public function that she did not care for Washington society. The remark is held largely responsible for her husband's transfer. In both instances social dictators were quick to answer the charges.

MOST DELIGHTFUL.

"Washington society is most delightful," declared Mrs. John W. Foster, wife of the former Secretary of State and minister to China. "In no other capital is intelligence and character more appreciated."

Miss Mabel T. Boardman, personal friend of both Mrs. Taft and Miss Helen Taft, said:

"The fact that Washington is not as large as New York, London, Paris and Vienna, gives the inhabitants of this city many advantages that dwellers in these cities are apt to overlook. The absence of opera and other diversions here has a good effect, for it makes society dependent more on the personality of its members.

Mrs. John B. Henderson, wife of the former senator from Missouri, asserts that the future of the city as a great social center is assured.

TRUTH ABOUT SOCIETY.

The truth about Washington society is that it is a bundle of contrasts and contradictions. It has no foundation in tradition. It is both cosmopolitan and provincial. It is cosmopolitan in that it is the seat of a great government. It is provincial in that it is nothing else. It is a society of contrasts, but no one can deny that its intelligence, culture and refinement are not only as great, but greater, perhaps, than those of any other community in this country or abroad.

What makes Washington provincial in comparison with foreign capitals is the absence of great political houses, such as for generations have existed in London, in which government leaders meet and members of the opposition gather for the exchange of political views or for consultation over the public measures. There are no political salons, such as were so poent in the annals of France in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, and which still exist in Paris.

Washington probably appears "provincial" also to visiting peeresses, for *the reason that the White House exerts* less influence upon the social life of the capital than do the executive mansions of other capitals.

QUESTIONS OF RANK.

Questions of rank and precedence come under the jurisdiction of the White House, and to this extent the structure and its occupants do influence the doings of Washington society.

To be truthful, it must be said that there is no really great society in Washington, such as there is in New York, *Boston, Philadelphia* and Baltimore, for instance. Washington in reality may be fately described as a salaried man's paradise. Here are found the country's best and most talented, but by no means its wealthiest. These employes of the government *do much to raise the general* level of intelligence, culture and refinement which distinguishes Washington from other cities of the country, but they do not make toward its social prominence, as that term is generally interpreted today.

There is no "Four Hundred" in Washington. There is no "Bohemia." There are no ancestral trees. There is, however, an aristocracy of brain and brawn, which does things.

The atmosphere of Washington is primarily political. The commercial instinct has no place there. As a result, on subjects of general interest the run of men are generally better informed than they appear to be in other cities of the country. This is due, no doubt, to the greater leisure they enjoy, the peace and repose that come to them when the day's work is done, the absence of the storm and stress which accompany the business man's active career in these days.

Washington men are men of the world. The average woman in Washington society knows little and cares less about politics than she might about the quadrature of a circle. She is in this respect quite unlike the English woman of society, who as a political factor is almost the equal of her husband; whose views on public questions are listened to with respect, and whose influence is frequently felt in the settlement of public affairs.

WOMEN CHARMING.

The women of Washington, however, are among the most charming and delightful of the country and the world. They are, for the most part, democratic and unpretentious. The simplicity of the earlier days when Washington was a purely southern city, still leaves its influence. Many of the old customs survive—hence the provincialism. Families still sit on the front steps when the weather permits; carriages are still drawn up in front of the markets on certain days of the week; young girls still sanction the parade through the streets in the evenings to the theaters without head covering, the social leaders still believe in the primitive character and potency of the picnic and other bucolic diversions, and families still dine in the middle of the day on Sunday.

Washington's only really serious offense of ruralism, however, is one which it shares with sister cities throughout the country—the homage which it accords any foreigner of rank. No capital in the world makes so much of diplomats as does our own. Neither in London, nor in Paris, nor in Vienna, does the fact that one is a diplomat open the doors of a single private house to him.

Yet in Washington there are many houses which fairly yawn to admit within their walls *any foreigner*, providing he is a diplomat. It is one of the worst evidences of Washington society's provincialism.

Society closes its eye to many things in the family life of diplomats which it would not tolerate for a single moment in the family life of Americans. Skeletons may be rattled as often and as loudly as the owner pleases, and yet it does not seem to impair his standing.

On the other hand, it must be said that all newcomers are made welcome in the capital provided they have something in them to make the welcome worth while, and in that does the city show its easy-going liberality and its cosmopolitanism.

Sir H. Beerbohm Tree on the British Theater

Discussing British drama and the popular taste, Sir H. Beerbohm Tree, the celebrated actor, declared: "Personally, I believe in the public. I have never had failures I could not understand. Plays fail because of the shortcomings, never because of their virtues. I am told by less intelligent critics that my theater is crowded because of the pageants. That is absurd.

"If the public wants pageant only, it can get it done splendidly in the musical comedy theaters, in pantomimes and in the music halls. My friends come to His *Majesty's theater primarily for the drama* and the acting. But I admit that they like to see their drama in a beautiful and appropriate setting. And, pray, why not?"

"Moreover," observed the famous novelist who had been listening, "if it is merely beautiful spectacle that is required, the cinematograph theater can beat any playhouse. What stage art can compare, for example, with the exact photographic reproduction of the waves breaking on the shore?"

"Do you agree with Laurence Irving," asked the interviewer, "that the cinemas are serious competitors of the theaters?"

"No. I think they may be affecting the business of the music halls, but all these places of entertainment encourage the habit of seeing things. It is becoming, almost universally, part of the day's work to spend some hours in entertainment, and the people who go to the cinemas tonight may come, for a change, to His Majesty's tomorrow. Moreover, the wordless dramas pictured on the cinema screens may stimulate curiosity to see the real drama and thus the cinematograph may become an actual feeder of the playhouses."

"But if the public cares for the play, how do you account on the one hand for the difficulty of making a touring company a success, and, on the other hand, for the non-continuance of such enterprises as the Vedrenne-Barker management and Mr. Frohman's repertory theater?

"As regards provincial tours, doubtless in face of the heavy competition of the music halls and cinemas, expenses must be kept down, and I am inclined to agree with Mr. Irving that the salaries of actors have grown out of all proportion to the possibility of managers making profit. I also hope that the hope for the theater in the provinces in such valuable experiments as Miss Horniman's repertory company at the Gaiety theater in Glasgow both splendid moves.

"A theater that houses an entirely different company every week is just a lodging house. It has not the quality of a home. It is a hotel, friendly and without soul. That really fine actors like Lewis Waller or whoever you will, always has individuality.

"As for the failure of the various London productions of artistic drama—if they were failures—I think perhaps the range of repertory has been too narrow. The productions have been too much in one key, and under any circumstances nothing can really be deduced from Mr. Frohman's experiment. It did not last long enough to carry any moral.

"Generally let me say this. I find foreign critics kind in their appreciation of English acting. I find our young players interested enough in their work to spend their leisure rehearsing and acting in the provincial productions of the Stage Society and kindred associations. I find that our successes are scored with such English dramas as Masterlinck's 'Blue Bird.'

"Shakespeare I leave on one side. Perhaps the conditions of the theater may be artificial, but I find progress in all the best forms of dramatic art. Above all I find a belief in the future of the theater."

Massachusetts Girl Who Married a King

The recent deposition of King Manuel of Portugal and the events in the young king's life that led up to it will no doubt bring back to the minds of some of the older residents of the city the story of Elise Hensler, the Springfield girl who married a king and became the Countess Edla.

The king she married was Don Ferdinand II. of Portugal, a great grandfather of King Manuel. Elise Hensler lived in this city about sixty years ago, probably for about four years. Her father, Conrad Hensler, was a humble tailor, and according to the directories of Springfield in 1848 and 1852, first conducted a small shop on Stockbridge street and later was employed as a tailor with E. M. Law, who conducted a tailoring establishment on Market street.

The Henslers were humble people and lived simply. The daughters, Elise and Louise were well received here and were given a good musical education, especially Elise, who had quite a remarkable voice. Signor Guidi, an Italian, of the time a well known teacher of that voice, took an interest in Elise and it was when Signor Guidi went to Boston that the Henslers went there, largely through his influence. He believed that Elise had a future as a singer and wished her to be where he could continue teaching her.

Elise Hensler after her removal with her family to Boston continued her studies. She as persevering in her work and progressed so well that she not only appeared in concerts in the large cities of this country, but also in Europe, where she sang before royalty. It was while singing in Lisbon several years after the death of Queen Maria that King Ferdinand heard her voice and felt the attraction that led him to marry her.

Ferdinand was the titular King of Portugal, having been the second husband of Queen Maria II. of Portugal. Ferdinand married Maria in 1836, when he was 29. The queen died in 1853, and he was regent during the minority of his son, Pedro V., who was the father of the assassinated King Carlos, the grandfather of the deposed King Manuel. The regency ended in 1855, and on June 16, 1869, he married Miss Hensler.

When the European powers decided the time had come to restore Spain to a monarchy, following the overthrow of the short republic, which existed from 1873 to 1875, considerable pressure was brought to bear upon Ferdinand to induce him to accept the vacant throne. But his wife could never be Queen of Spain, and it is possible that this fact alone induced him to refuse.

This abnegation refused on his part to accept the throne of Spain, with all the pomp and splendor of royalty in exchange for the romantic life that he was living with his morganatic wife, had far reaching consequences. The complications and jealousies resultant on the attempt to find a king acceptable to all the powers helped to bring on the Franco-Prussian war, and Alsace and Lorraine went back to Germany, whence they had been wrested by Napoleon Bonaparte.

In consequence of these peculiar historical facts, which geographically practically changed all western Europe, Elise Hensler, Countess Edla, became famous throughout the world as "the woman who changed the map of Europe." During the life of the king they lived in the beautiful castle of Cintra. It is certain that their life was above reproach. In 1885 the king died, and after that the countess lived in retirement in a cottage near the castle.

Some of her Springfield schoolmates are still living, for she was one of the early pupils of Arie Parrish in the High School, which stood on the site of the present police building on Court street. The name appears in a catalogue of the alumni issued in 1857, properly spelled Elise, though she was known to her schoolmates as Eliza. If she is still living she is about 74 years old.—Springfield Republican.

WONDERFUL MACHINE

That wonderful machine into which pigs walked at one end and from which sausages were produced at the other has almost become a reality. An Austrian army captain named Von Herrigne has invented a machine which can turn out 150,000 ball cartridges in ten hours by what is described as an absurdly simple process.

Powder cases and bullets are dropped *into receptacles* and in a very short time reappear as cartridges ready for use. The machine ditstinguishes between good and bad material, all defective material being discarded.

Supremacy in Rubber Planting

Chiapas, the most southwesterly state of Mexico on the Pacific coast, now holds the supremacy in rubber planting, having a larger acreage under cultivation than all the other rubber districts in Mexico, says Albert W. Brickwood Jr., United States consul at Tapachula, in a recent report.

Mexico, he says, is among the pioneers in rubber culture, as there exist today plantations more than a quarter of century old. For may years Mexico has been one of the largest producers of rubber, and its exports have reached enormous figures.

The most important planting districts in Chiapas are Soconusco and Palenque. In the Soconusco department is located the plantation of La Zacualpa, which controls seven other companies, the whole forming the largest rubber plantation in the world. The holdings consist of more than twenty-nine *square miles*. The planted area on the united plantations is 9500 acres.

There are several thousand twenty-year-old trees planted by the original owner, which now form a forest with an absolutely clean "floor" containing numberless seedlings. The average yield of *these trees is one* and at a tapping, but some have yielded as high as two pounds eleven ounces of dry rubber per tree, which is considered an excellent showing. Record plantings have been made at La Zacualpa, as many as 3600 acres having been cleared and planted in one season; counting 300 trees to the acre it is given a total of 1,080,000 trees in a season.

There are always many thousands ready to be tapped the year round, except a few weeks in the dry season, when the latex or sap does not run freely. While at present the practice is to tap three times annually, a test is to be made soon to tap four times a year.

La Zacualpa has a modern plant for handling the output. The sap or latex is brought in from the fields in specially constructed zinc cans, strained through a sieve made for the purpose, of double and different sized mesh, to separate it from foreign and mechanical matter mixed with clean water in the proportion of one to three, and allowed to stand for four hours, when the water containing the liquor from the sap is run into a tank for future treatment in the centrifugal machine, and fresh water is let in. The following day the sap or latex is washed again, then mixed with the juice from the *manihot* plant (soap root), undergoing a final washing, when it is coagulated, rinsed in pure water, and sent to the drying room. The rubber is prepared in crepe or sheet form, then pressed into two-pound blocks for shipment, the packing cases being made on the place of native lumber.

It will no doubt appear curious that the rubber collected from the waste or wash water by the centrifugal machine has proved to be one of the best quality, a recent shipment to England having sold for $2.30 gold per pound, believed to be the best price ever obtained for castilloa rubber. It is claimed that this product of rubber, which was formerly wasted, closely resembles fine Para rubber.

DEMOCRACY BEGINS its FIGHT for LIFE IN ARISTOCRATIC ENGLAND

ADDRESSING A SOCIALIST MEETING IN LONDON. SOCIALISTS WERE MOST ACTIVE IN THE RECENT ELECTION

AN ENGLISH VOTER CASTING HIS VOTE.

MR. O'BRIEN ADDRESSING AN OPENAIR MEETING

JOHN BURNS, THE CHILDREN'S FRIEND

WM. REDMOND SPEAKING. NOTE THE STARS AND STRIPES TO LEFT OF SPEAKER.

The political situation in the Mother Country is one of extreme gravity—Power of the House of Lords seriously menaced. The people demand that the Peers and the King shall obey them. Multiplicity of issues complicate situation.

GREAT BRITAIN is in the throes of a revolution. It is true that this revolution is being waged at the polls rather than upon the battlefield, but at its termination its bearing upon the English constitution will be none the less marked.

It is still to early to obtain the proper perspective upon the results of the election just passed, but one conclusion may be stated with justification. England is bound toward radical constitutional changes. Whether they will occur as a result of the last election or whether subsequent elections will be required are of transit interest. The historical interest is that the change is imminent.

When George V dissolved Parliament on November 27 England's political die was cast for all time and the social revolution was on. The battle between the House of Lords and the Liberals started with the issuance of the writs for a new parliament to meet on January 31 of this year.

MARKS WARFARE.

The action marked a warfare, the central issue of which was the destruction of the last vestige of power of the hereditary House of Lords, or the adding upon England of the old regime.

The Liberals demanded the abolition of the Lords, except as a purely consultive body. Allied with them are the Laborites, even more advanced in their doctrines, and the Irish, or Nationalists.

These three bodies making up what is known as the government Coalition, have marked the peerage as their prey, and they will not rest until they leave the field victorious or hopelessly vanquished.

The Unionists, or Conservatists, want the lords to continue in power, but advocate certain reforms from within the body.

FIGHT BITTER ONE.

The fight has been a bitter one and will continue to grow in bitterness until a decision is reached. Some of the radicals even go so far as to predict the dethronement of King George should he bestow his influence to the Unionists. There is no denying the fact that the people demand that their ruler obey them, and help abolish the power of parliament's upper chamber.

The reduction of the power of the lords was but one of the issues in the last campaign. There were other issues, however, which combined toward making the balloting an event in the life of the world.

The agitation over free trade on the one hand and protective tariff on the other, the ever-present suffrage demand, the Irish home rule insistence, the Socialistic ferment, all were contributing issues which made the campaign of interest from the Himalayas to the western slopes of the Pacific, from the arc of the Polar star to the zone of the Southern cross, from the land of the Golden Fleece to that of the Midnight Sun.

STORM SWEEPS.

About the lords, however the severest storm swept and continues for that matter to sweep. Until now this ancient body has enjoyed much the same prerogatives as the United States Senate, and has served in the same fashion as a restraint upon hasty and sometimes reckless legislation on the part of the lower chamber.

It differs from the United States Senate, in that its membership is appointive and hereditary instead of elective. The lords, however, are willing to abandon their hereditary privileges, but do not want to be shorn of their constitutional power of defeating and virtually vetoing legislation enacted by the Commons.

This compromise does not meet with the approval of Mr. Asquith's party. It is determined to deprive the lords of all further power of vetoing measures enacted by the Commons and of reducing it to the role of a body whose only privilege is to register without demur the edicts of the lower house.

LIBERALS PLEDGED.

Once this is done, the Liberals are pledged to accord home rule to Ireland and to accord hearings to the Socialistic doctrines of the Laborites. Just how the Suffragettes will fare cannot be foretold.

It looks as though King George would have no alternative should the Liberals remain in power, but to grant their demands, notwithstanding that by so doing the throne will lose its chief bulwark and defense against the ever-rising tide of democracy.

There is little doubt that the Liberals with their Labor and Irish allies, will manage to control the situation. The Unionists still hope, on the other hand that they will be powerful enough to induce the King not to accede to the demands of the opposition.

The Unionist cry that should the King accede to the demands of the Liberals the cabinet will become a despotic authority, which will dictate the entire policy of the country without fear of opposition. The lords, they assert will become mere wax works.

CRY OF DICTATOR.

The Unionists have effectively raised the cry of Irish dictatorship by means of American dollars. This is due to the fear that the Irish will wield the balance of power in the government coalition and to the fact that the Irish Nationalists have been aided greatly in their struggle for home rule by the contribution of American sympathizers.

There can be no doubt, however, that the feeling of the nation is sympathetic toward a greater democracy. Sweeping reform may be expected. For the first time since the days of George III the constitution comes directly into the fray. Every agency within the—king, House of Lords and House of Commons, and the adjustment of the respective rights of all these authorities—is involved.

The king is required to make a decision fully as grave as that of William IV when he gave the Earl Grey permission to flood the House of Lords with new peerages.

PICTURESQUE CHARACTERS.

The campaign has been given additional interest by the numerous picturesque characters which have been in the forefront. William O'Brien and John Burns have done much to enliven the struggle.

O'Brien won out in Cork over William Redmond, the strongest candidate of the Liberals. Mr. O'Brien is the head of the "All for Ireland League," and his election serves greatly to complicate the situation.

John Burns had as his principal opponents the women of society, who were active in campaigning for their chosen candidates. The fair sex more than once provoked Burns to discourteous outbreaks.

To his constituents on election day he sent this word:

"Don't be taken in by the blandishments of fine ladies who visit the mean streets only when they want something."

Waldorf Astor, the son of William Waldorf Astor, who renounced his allegiance to the United States to become a British subject, was another conspicuous figure in the campaign. He was elected on the Unionist ticket for one of the two seats of Plymouth. It is said that after his victory Mr. Astor's wife repeatedly kissed him and kissed also the chairman of the Conservative Association.

DESPISED DOLLARS.

Astor owes his return to the lavish use of the despised American dollars and the indefatigable work of his fascinating wife.

How these various factions will fuse when Parliament convenes the latter part of this month, remains a mystery. It is possible that they will not fuse and that election will follow election until the situation will become one of extreme gravity.

Feeding This Nation

In 1899 the American hen laid eggs in sufficient numbers during the calendar year to amount to seventeen dozen for each inhabitant of the United States. Omitting all thought of adding a single egg to the individual share of eggs, but merely to maintain the 1900 proportion of eggs to population, the hens of the United States in 1910 must be laying annually 221,000,000 dozen more eggs than they laid in 1899.

The per capita product of milk in the year 1899 was 95.6 gallons per annum. To maintain this per capita for the benefit of our increment of population, says the Atlantic, the milk supply in the year 1910 must exceed that of 1899 by 1,242,800,000 gallons.

To maintain butter, of which the per capita amount produced in 1899 was fourteen pounds, at the same per capita in 1910 the aggregate production must exceed the former figure by 182,000,000 pounds.

Of potatoes, that other staple of human consumption, the per capita product at the last census was about four bushels; hence in 1910 to maintain the potato supply for our newcomers but not to increase it for the rest of the community to the extent of even one potato each (one potato apiece means approximately 180,000 bushels) there must be raised 52,000,000 bushels more of this homely but useful vegetable than were reported in 1899.

What this product means is best noted by observing that to supply it would consume the entire potato crop as reported at the last census of the States of California, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Maine, Maryland and North Carolina.

Senator Elihu Root's $24,000 a Year Harlem Flat

NEW YORK.—Senator Elihu Root, who, it was recently announced, has sold his old home and leased a flat, is not going to be cramped in his new quarters.

Of course, it's not quite like the average Harlem flat. It's a little larger—it has twenty-two rooms—and it's a bit more expensive, for he's going to pay $24,000 a year for it. But that's only $2,000 a month, $500 a week, $71 a day, $3 an hour and five cents a second. Suppose you had to hold out your hand and drop a nickel every second?

Senator Root's flat is not ready yet. It's being built. But there are a half dozen other flats just about like it in town. So let us have a look into one of them and see what you get when you decide to pay $2000 a month for yours.

"BUTTONS" MUST BE PAID.

To begin, you have to pay part of your $24,000 a year for "Buttons" in the lobby. In Senator Root's flat there will be a good many Buttons—two to open the door when he sends away the motor at the curb stone, one to escort him to the elevator and a few very fancy Buttons to take him up to the door of his flat. Buttons is English and has peachblow cheeks and a soft, childlike voice. His ornamentation is magnificent, gold braid epaulets, creased trousers and shoes with nickel buckles. Just what proportion of the $24,000 a year goes to pay for his services it is difficult to estimate on short notice.

The hall of the flat is also worthy of notice. Along its mosaic floor are set at intervals tall brass standards with Tiffany glass globes at the top. The standards are covered with red velvet, in inches on the wall stand bronzes costing $300 to $500 each.

The ceiling of the hall is covered with real gold leaf, and the walls are of Caen stone from France.

But the hall is nothing to the interior. Imagine a flat of twenty-two rooms, with a duplex arrangement containing three rooms more above.

MUST HAVE A MIRROR GALLERY.

Let's peep into the downstairs part of the flat. This little hall behind the iron and gilt door of the flat is called the mirror gallery. No $24,000 flat is complete without it. Now in the reception room. All carved Italian Renaissance parquet floors, plush walls in red, bronze candelabra. Very comfy.

Well, if that isn't a secret door. Opens right into the plush wall, and is not visible from the outside at all. Just touch the spring under the electric light button and it slides open without a sound. And the electric light pops up inside automatically. It's a coat closet, of course.

Here's the dining room. Right through that mirrored door. All done in French oak, paneled and an open fireplace. Nor the kind we have in a Harlem flat, but a real one that burns logs. "This," says the superintendent, "is the billiard room. Done in Louis XIV style, all white and carved. Very attractive for people of taste.

THEN THE LIVING ROOM.

"And beyond the billiard room is the living room. That's what the architects call it now—it used to be the drawing room," explains the superintendent. And the living room is Louis XIV, too, and so is the music room, behind those silent mirrored folding doors over there.

But, look. Right there in the center of all, with all the other gorgeous rooms opening on it, is the conservatory. Caen stone again, with aquaria on the floors, and mirrors on the walls, and misty glass chandeliers falling like cloudy waterfalls at each end. With the mirrored doors all open there is 5000 square feet of floor space for entertaining.

And here are the bedrooms. This first is the "master's" room, called so because the master of the house sleeps in it, or is supposed to. It is all white like the rest, and there is the big dressing room, and the marble bath opening off. And this next is another bedroom, the same as the first, but not so large. And the big bath, too. And at the far end is another big room.

ANOTHER SECRET PANEL.

See the Tiffany glass globes on the bronze chandeliers. And there in the wall is a huge panel that opens, though one would never know it if the superintendent had not pushed the spring. And all the way to the ceiling are dust proof glass compartments for the mistress' clothes. Over there is the shoe closet, room for a hundred pairs and more. And next behind that solid white panel is the closet for princess gowns. Twelve feet high it is at least, so that the gowns with the long trains hang from the silver plated bar at the top without touching the floor.

And here is the dressing room and another marble bath. But what is that little funny room and the tiny bath next it? The superintendent says it's Fido's room, or Fannie's, or whatever mistress has pens to call her pet spaniel or Pomeranian.

And now we are out in the mahogany finished butler's pantry, and beyond it is the kitchen, all in marble and tile from ceiling to floor. Much like an operating room in a hospital it looks. Beyond it is the chef's room, also in mahogany finish. And at the back is the servants' entrance, and the private staircase for the maids and man, and the servants' elevator. Stairs lead to the other servants' room, all large. And every one is done in mahogany. Each is fitted with its private bath. There is a bath for every bedroom in the place.

Making Electricity Work

E. E. Miner lives on a farm near Oriskany Falls, Oneida county, N. Y. When he moved to the farm he noticed that Oriskany creek, if dammed at a certain place, would produce a six-foot waterfall. He built a dam and put in a water wheel—a $300 turbine that yielded twenty-five horsepower. Over the water wheel he built a power-house in which he placed a dynamo for the water wheel to run. The electricity was wired 1700 feet to the farm buildings.

Mr. Miner had imagination. He put his electricity to work in every possible place about the premises. He heated and lighted the house with electricity; did the cooking with electricity; and the washing and ironing with electricity; did the sweeping and dusting with electricity; beat eggs—and at three different speeds, too—with electricity; turned the ice-cream freezer with electricity, and, in summer, ventilated the house with electric fans.

Nor is that all. Electricity, working through a vacuum milking machine, milks twenty cows, two at a time; drives the cream separator; churns; pumps water into every room in the house and into the stall of each horse and cow; drives lathes and drills in a workshop; drives a circular saw to cut cordwood; drives an ensilage cutter. The water wheel and the dynamo run weeks at a time without attention. Rather than be bothered to go to the wheelhouse and shut off the water, Mr. Miner installed a device that causes the current, when not in use, to enter resistance coils, from which it is dissipated in the form of heat.—Delineator.

Ben Franklin Residence

PHILADELPHIA.—Among the many historic structures in Philadelphia there is perhaps not one which holds more interest for those bent on historic research than the property known as the Franklin residence, located in an out-of-the-way cul de sac formed by Spring street west of Front. Because of its odd location, the house, which seems without question to have once been the residence of Benjamin Franklin, is rarely visited by sightseers, and few know of its existence. Years ago houses began to spring up around the now historic building until today it stands surrounded on every side by tenements and dwellings.

There is only one way to reach the door of this old structure, and unless one is given explicit directions great difficulty would be experienced in the search. Spring street, a small thoroughfare north of Race street, runs about two hundred feet north of Front street, and then is blocked off from Second street by a property. At the extreme end of Spring street there is a small alley running about fifty feet north called Augusta Place, and it is on the west side of Augusta Place that the Franklin residence is located.

SOLD AT SHERIFF'S SALE.

The property is now owned by the widow of Philip Griffith, who bought it in 1868 from John Roberts and John Shipley, who had purchased it at a sheriff's sale about eight years previously. Though the historical societies have records to show that it was once occupied by the great Franklin, the property is one of the few scheduled in the list of historic structures concerning which there is little written history, but it is supposed to have been occupied by the famous philosopher about 1790.

The property has been changed but little during the past seventy-five years, and stands the same as when it was occupied by the great Franklin years ago.

The interior is identically the same as it was at that time, he wood work never having been changed and in no way has the property been modernized.

Dwellings have sprung up all around the old house, and as the years passed have sunk into decay, but not so with the Franklin house. Built substantially, it has defied the ravages of time, and today it stands one of the most substantial residences in the neighborhood.

THE HOUSE.

The bricks have worn away to some extent, but the plaster between them still holds firm and gives promise of lasting many years. There are five rooms in the house—two each on the first and second floors and one large room on the third floor. The shutters on the first floor windows have been changed recently, but on the second story the old shutters remain and they are the only part of the house which show any amount of decay. Unlike the other houses in the vicinity, the window panes are small, for although the glass has been changed many times, the sashes are the same that were used at the time that Franklin made his home there.

When the house was first built it was several feet above the street level and was approached by a series of several marble steps. Years ago the street was raised, and at present the house stands almost flush with the street. The north side of the property is devoid of windows, for when it was first built it was one of a row, of which the other houses having long since been torn down.

MACHINERY BREATHES

An English writer on engineering subjects, Mervyn O'Gorman, calls attention to the fact that a piece of machinery, such as an automobile, laid aside after being used, is in danger of internal rusting through a kind of respiration which affects cylinders, gear boxes, clutch chambers, interspaces in ball bearings, and so forth.

Every enclosed air space "breathes" by drawing in air when a fall of temperature contracts its walls, and expelling it when the walls expand through heat. The moisture introduced with the air is deposited in the cavities, and may produce serious damage through rust. The popular belief that oil will protect the inaccessible parts of unused machinery is fallacious, since nearly all oils take up about 3 per cent of water in solution.—Youth's Companion.

Progress of Indians

SURROUNDED BY CIVILIZATION

The Indians on the Sisseton reservation in the northwestern portion of South Dakota are making rapid progress in civilization. This is borne out by the statements of Major S. A. Allen, the reservation agent, who says that while fully 75 per cent of the reservation Indians are full blood, 65 per cent of them have become agriculturists and have proved themselves thrifty and fairly successful as farmers.

There are about 2000 redskins on the reservation, which is eighty miles long and forty miles wide. Of this amount of land the Indians have been allotted about 400,000 acres, while the remainder is now in the hands of the whites.

From this land the Indians this year raised approximately 100,000 bushels of wheat, 78,000 bushels of oats, 40,000 bushels of corn and 4000 bushels of flax. Their fair, held during three days of October, will compare favorably with any white man's county fair in South Dakota. Included in the exhibits were ninety exhibits of small grain, forty of corn and a large number of vegetables. In addition fine showings were made of cattle, horses, hogs, sheep, chickens and other products of the farm.

There are thirteen churches on the reservation, the Episcopal, Presbyterian and Catholic denominations predominating. During the last two years 125 good farmhouses have been built. The Indians are in the main virtuous, self-respecting and show a remarkable affinity for civilization, the only drawback to their advancement, according to Major Allen, being their fondness for liquor, which is sometimes supplied them by bootleggers despite the most strenuous efforts of the government to keep the liquor dispensers out of reach of the Indians.—Omaha Bee.

Two Thousand Men, Women and Children Face Slow Death for a "Cause"

OUTSIDE ONE OF THE CANVASS HOMES

STREET IN HILLSIDE CAMP

SECTION OF STRIKING MINERS CAMP

Pennsylvania's soft coal miners, gathered in tents on the hill sides look square into the eyes of starvation and exposure that unionism may live. Fight for life and principle under conditions that seem incredible.

Up in the hills of Westmoreland county in Pennsylvania two thousand men, women and children are starving and freezing for a principle.

They are the striking miners and their families of the Keystone state's rich soft coal fields and they are enduring the lowest of human misery for the cause of unionism.

Thanksgiving, New Years and Christmas passed by them unheeded. The New Year means nothing to their but hopeless continuation of their woe and suffering. They have ceased to reckon time by the calendar. Life now is measured from the beginning of their desolation—the beginning of their fight on strike for a cause which occurred on March 12, 1910.

There are but few months but to whom the new child of time brought some solace, some gleam of hope but not so these denizens of the world underground who are now living on the hillsides. They have no hope and see they lock starvation and death from exposure square in the face and know on existing—for a principle.

CONSIDERS COMMISSION

It is true that Governor Edwin Stuart of Pennsylvania has considered the advisability of appointing a commission to investigate the inhuman conditions but legal agencies require a long time to act if they act at all and immediate succor is needed.

The appeal for a commission was made to the governor by President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor. President Gompers informed the governor that the distress among the strikers is almost unbelievable. Thousands of men, women and children declared are facing the winter's rigors in tents on the hills without food with insufficient clothing and no fuel.

Both strikers and coal operators are determined, he asserted to fight the battle to a finish. There must be no truce, he urged or the potter's field would claim hundreds.

STORY OF MISERY

The history of the strike is a story of misery and poverty of body chilling and heart-breaking distress. It is a story of men, women and children who have no shelter from wind and snow except the thin protection of leaky tents. It is a story of babies of the white race born under conditions infinitely more heart breaking than those that attended the birth in the manger. It is a story of the sick for whom there is no medicine, of empty stomach for which there is no food. It is a story of suffering in that bitterest of wars—a conflict between capital and labor.

Under the feet of these hill dwellers are thick veins of warmth giving coal enough to keep warm all the poor of the nation for years to come, yet the babies and women people clothed love carefully over tiny fires for fuel is precious and must not be wasted.

Around them are barns fairly bursting with the wealth of the summer fields. But the strikers own neither the fields nor the harvests. Nothing but their right to live—if they can.

In the mud and snow shivering by night and seeking the warmth of the sun by day they are waiting and enduring determined not to give way to their fight for what they believe is their right.

And they have waited thus for ten months.

HUNGER AND PAIN

Hunger, pain and distress as painted in the messages sent out from this stricken region are not at all the same things as the hunger pain and distress that are met face to face on the hills and in the valleys.

It seems incredible that there should be found in this country people living under such conditions as surround the tented settlements which dot the hillsides.

How these people managed to live at all through the long winter months seems a marvel when the story of their privations is learned. How they are surviving the bitter cold with the snow covering the ground inches deep is a matter of amazement.

But the most surprising feature of all to the stranger among these people is the good spirit, the unshaken determination and courage, the willingness of both men and women to bear hardship and hunger which they show after long months of famine.

ONCE WERE 17,000

Originally there were 17,000 of the strikers and their families living on the hillsides. Work to 10,000 of these was found by the union in other coal mining fields. Of the remainder many have some person had leased all the vacant mere houses but the work of building houses within miles of the mines. They were not only evicted from their homes, but all houses were barred to them. Only the fields and the mountain sides were left.

The men obtained tents and the United Mine Workers sent them more tents. They took to the hills. Many weakened and succumbing to sickness have died since that time. The storms of winter have beat down upon the tents and cold winds pierce through the cloth walls and from the flappings from the loose. The children have died in many instances trot around the tents in snow knee deep.

Beside the tents are improvised beds covered with straw mattresses. Piled high on top are pile of bags and old garments which are used for bed covers. The straw is in most cases rotten, and every time it rains the white flakes drift high on the inside.

The furniture in most instances consists of a bed or two, a table, a few dishes, a small stove and a bench. Under these conditions somehow six and seven members of a family live, eat and sleep.

The strikers are not stupid or stolid. On the contrary most of them seem intelligent. It appears to be of a high type of peasant immigration.

The demands for which they are suffering the keenest privations are recognition of the union, a signed agreement, establishing a scale of wages equally as high as those in the Pittsburg district, a nine hour day and the right to have a check weighman of their own choosing on the tipple where the coal is weighed.

WILLING TO SUBMIT

They are willing to submit all those demands to arbitration. The coal companies thus far have refused to consider all of the demands.

With hard to the charges which the miners make that the companies gradually tempted and bribed the pay for coal in order to cut down, Miss Dagherty, one of the leaders in this parish.

On their hoped in the forests of Pennsylvania an iron mule the corn is roasted and only into sapling. The sapling is cut into big tree. Along came the workman and cut it down and the tree grew into lumber. When the lumber grew into cars and the cars have long wing over since until you can't find the lot from now.

The miners on the hillsides and their wives and children say the bottom of these cups must be found and so they are going to fight for a principle.

Custom of Kissing Under the Mistletoe and What History Says of It

The custom of kissing under the mistletoe goes back to the days when Thor and Odin and all the other gods of Northland walked and talked with men.

Baldur, the son of Odin and Frigga, the Apollo of Scandinavian mythology, the flaxen haired god of sunshine and its attendant blessings was adored by all earthly and heavenly beings save one—Loki, the god of evil, fire and Hinterdamn evils.

Naturally Loki could hate him for in the spring when Baldur came to the world his bright and warm sunlight the world people deserted Loki's heath fires—did not return to them in the golden seed cone to depart in the fall. But Baldur with his happy nature could little for the cheerless jealous and hateful Loki, the wife Nanna blossom and for years a joyous existence.

At length, however, says a writer in Uncle Remus Magazine, he began to have troublesome dreams, visions of disaster and death. What could it mean? It was all so new to him, his love, hate and pleasure. He consulted his mother, Frigga, and she in her distress sent word to Odin.

Long Frigga thought and then she vised. Far she sent messengers and wide through the universe and every creature animate and inanimate swear to do her son no harm. All promised for did not all love the sunlight god? All? No, the surly mistletoe refused to swear and that was the cause of great future sorrow. But what harm could a bit of mistletoe do? Frigga was all joy, her darling was safe from anything sprung from earth and fire or water.

Now as the years passed and the gods learned how absolutely safe Baldur was from many wound whatever they frequently amused themselves by using him for a target for all sorts of missiles—stones, clubs and weapons. One day as they were playing thus and shouting with laughter at their failure Frigga, sitting at her spinning wheel asked an old woman who was passing what was the cause of all the merriment.

"The gods," answered the old woman, "are amusing themselves trying to hurt Baldur's son."

Ah, said Frigga with a boastful smile, "they can never do it for all things have promised not to harm him."

"All things?" inquired the old woman.

"All things except the frail mistletoe who, of course, is too insignificant to trouble any one," the old woman was Loki in disguise.

Tossing away the evil god went straight to the mistletoe that grew on the cliff outside the gates of Valhalla and breaking off a piece turned it by magic art into a hard, sharp dart. Then, hurrying back, he found the gods still playing the game—all except Baldur's blind brother, Hodur, who leaned gloomily against a tree and listened in silence to the laughter.

"Why do you not play, Hodur?" said Loki.

"How can I?" answered Hodur. "Am I not blind?"

Ah, laughed Loki, "I will show you how. Stand thus and throw this dart with all your strength."

Then, pressed through the air and Baldur the god of life-giving light fell dead.

Tenderly the guard placed his body upon his favorite ship, the Ringhorn, and prepared to give both to the sea. Then all the heavenly ones came to gaze upon the beloved face—but Nanna, bending over him, could not bear the sight and her heart broke and she was laid beside him on the vessel. Then the great ship was set afire and floated out, a sheet of flame, out on the distant waters. All even yet we may see at sunset the burning vessel of Baldur far in the west.

Now the guards felt that some show of justice must be made and in consolation hoping to soothe the inconsolable Frigga they decreed that the mistletoe, other and to this day it is still peaceful and harmless. And now sign and sorrow had followed it for henceforth it was to grow not as a symbol of bitterness and hatred but as a sign of tenderness and love.

But the gods decreed that it was to stand for these things only so long as it should not Loki kingdom the soil and for this reason it is never seen growing on the ground it is ourselves always hang it high on the rafters or chandeliers. And now that it was the emblem of love, peace rose for emblem of love, peace and the mistletoe for one to pledge their troth both at it and those who met there to kiss in token of affectionate fellowship.

What Americans of the Present Day Read

A summary of the tendencies in book publishing at any one season of any particular year must necessarily be limited; it does however generally reflect certain book publishing and book reading tendencies which are more or less indicative of a permanent trend. It has been the custom of this Review to give in its December number brief informational notes about the most representative and important serious books of the season in the informational paragraphs that follow there will be noted an increasing tendency among the longer established publishing houses to increase the number of titles of works of biography and autobiographies and those devoted to travel and description. One of the most successful booksellers of New York recently remarked that the increasing interest in books of biography and memoirs is one of the striking signs of the times in the reading world.

The year just about closing has been marked by the publication of an unusually large number of noteworthy works of the nature referred to above. In our January number we had something to say about Secretary Shaw's book, The Heart of the American People, which had been brought out some weeks before but it reached the public and book lovers in the early days of 1910. Then came Dr. Sven Hedin's Trans-Himalaya, A. Radcliffe Dugmore's Camera Adventures in the African Wilds, Commander Peary's "North Pole" and Mr. Roosevelt's "African Game Trails." Among the notable biographers and volumes and memoirs and reminiscences which appeared during the year and were duly noted in these pages were:

The Journals of Ralph Waldo Emerson; the lives of Richard Brinsley Sheridan and Edward Fulwer; the "Recollections of George Cary Eggleston and the reminiscences of Captain-General Weyler. This month we mention an unusual number of important works of this character. It is indeed an unusual season that sees the publication of so many and such important books about people as the memoirs of Modjeska, Rosa Bonheur, of Alexander H. Stephens, of Jane Addams and Elihu Vedder, as well as the splendidly written biographies and autobiographies of the late Leopold II, King of the Belgians, of Cecil Rhodes, of Edmund Clarence Stedman, of Grover Cleveland, of Thomas Edison, of Goldwin Smith, of Dona Macleod, and of Lewis Carroll and the authorized biography of Count Tolstoy.

The publication of several notable histories was continued during the year. These included the third volume of Dr. Jusserand's Literary History of the English people, the seventh volume of John B. McMaster's History of the People of the United States and several volumes of that monumental work. The Documentary History of American Industrial Society, Full monument was also made of the publication of the elaborate History of the Britannica, which was first issued in 1768. Another work of great reference value was Herzog and Schaff's Encyclopedia of Religious Knowledge. Dictionary of Music and Musicians, Grove's Dictionary of Music and Musicians, Upton's Standard Operas and Their Stories, Parkes' "Spirit of the American Drama," Dr. Whites Science of Fairy Tales, Perceval Lowell's study of the Evolution of Mars, Hiram Maxim's Science of Today and the first volume of Professor Hugo Munsterberg's work "The Photoplay, A Psychological Study," Review of Reviews.

Here Is the Story of a Woman Who Built an Aeroplane

What next? O modern American woman? Will you attempt to go to Paris by special limited torpedo? Miss Julia Hoerner of St. Louis is making a determined effort to win the Lahm cup for the long distance record. Now comes Miss Lillian Todd of New York who has just completed at Mineola, N. Y., an aeroplane every distinctive feature of which she designed herself. And more to the point Miss Todd intends to fly aboard her own aeroplane as aviator.

In her wrist muscles recover from the strain of exercises to help her build her machine Miss Todd will be a member of the Junior Club of American aeronauts. Her chauffeur but just as confident hands are strong enough to operate the mechanism she will essay flights.

She may take up some more as passengers for this aeroplane is built for two or she may invite Miss Hoerner to the honor of a place. Once branded all the other women and all the men except half a dozen or so will cling to solid earth and gaze in awe and doubtless in admiration at some person in scorn at the one woman who dares.

It is no sudden fancy or mild interest madness that has prompted Miss Todd in building the first aeroplane ever designed by a woman. She has grown up a part. From childhood she has been an inventor, an investigator. Like the average boy, this girl wanted to see the wheels go round and she wanted to take the wheels off and see if she could put them on again and this learning how machinery was constructed.

As a child she began with wax fingers and mechanical dolls. Later she turned her talents to typewriters, clocks and sundials. Neighbors saved up their worn out clocks so that little Miss Todd might take them apart and put them together.

While experimenting in this way she also read many scientific works. She attended two feet of machine may be said to separate because between the two superior planes has studied in books and by practical object lessons the laws of equilibrium. Her aeroplane she declares is built upon scientific principles according to the laws of aerial flight and is no more dangerous or toy of playthings the many so called aeroplanes that won't aeronate.

Miss Todd's slip of the air is thirty six feet long. Small flexible planes extend at each end. Her needed for additional sustaining surface to only matter she has been able to obtain in America being lighter than is desirable.

In all the framework the highest grade of selected spruce is used. Unbleached muslin of the finest quality is used to cover the upper side of the planes. The under sides which are the sustaining surfaces are covered with the strongest pongee silk procurable for the purpose.

An original feature in Miss Todd's aeroplane is the equipment of curved planes. Miss Todd has departed from the flat plane. She studied that noble bird the albatross in the Metropolitan museum in New York and discovered that the outer edges of its wings are curved. She made the planes of her aeroplane according to the albatross curve.

This she says makes for the stability of the machine. Instead of sweeping across the full surface of the planes a wind which might strike the end of a plane from below strikes downward. Miss Todd claims that her curved planes are scientifically essential to equilibrium. Whether her claim is warranted by the laws of physics remains of course to be proved or disproved by actual test.

The thing that stands out as distinctive in the annals of this age of endeavor and achievement is that for the first time in the history of the world a woman has entered the lists with men in construction of a specimen of the highest and most scientific type of aircraft and according to opinions of persons who have paid special attention to the progress of aerial flight as she achieved a mechanism which gives promise of fairly successful solution with time of the question of whether sterner and more daring sex—who are seeking to solve the problem of navigating the air upon a practical basis.

Easy to Be Clown, Declares Marceline

KANSAS CITY.—A visitor who wished to chat with Marceline cautiously left his way among the scenery back of the stage at Convention Hall while the New York Hippodrome's performance was in progress. Marceline is foreman of a gang of fun clowns.

"What's the matter with me?" asked the clown, a chief with the visitor found him. "What's the?

"About you. Do the boys who insist upon drawing funny pictures on their geography grow up to be famous clowns? I suppose your geography was a fright."

DIDN'T MARK HIS GEOGRAPHY

"No. Those who mark up their books finally grow up and make similar unreadable marks on large checks. Who do you think the White Man's Hope will turn out to be? I think—"

But about clowns. Did you ever want to play in dramas or anything?"

"No. I have dramatic talent but—" All of a sudden I started out I was right. The old Marceline act was of an acrobatic nature. As I grew older I found I could make a living just as easily by being dressed from one side of the stage to the other, darting gags full on my left. Or I could by aiming a pistol at the hero and saying, 'At last I have you in my power.' The acrobatic act was a more healthful one, too. Do you think Ba-Nelson is about played out, I think—"

A CLOWN IN EVENING CLOTHES

But about clowns. The visitor suggested.

"Oh, yes — clowns. I am the first clown to wear evening clothes in my act. Why, I wouldn't trade places with the best villain that pulled at his false mustache. I do whatever I wish when I'm turned loose on the stage. You see, I've been a clown, but—ears.

From my experience as an actor I have no end of tips I could give. Since I left New York I inquired into the knee which jumping over eight chairs went on their faces and ends. It was a jump of about twenty feet. I had to cut out that act. There is nothing like having a lot of stunts to serve for emergencies. I started on my head now without the aid of hands. I feel it something should happen to my head I could do a two step on my toes or a Highland fling with the left free. You see I always give an encore. One must get well. There's nothing like variety. I tell you. What do you, Sam Langford? He might—

But the visitor went away. Led come to talk about clowns.

Windings of a Stream

There is a stream in this State called the North river. It starts in a pond near Hanson and runs to the sea at Scituate. It is ten miles by air line from Hanson to Scituate and the river is four miles long.

This river is probably the most remarkable body of water barring the Dead Sea on this footstool and has stood more abuse and bad language than the Chicago river. When the tide is coming in the river runs up stream and not only that, but the upper part of it which is fresh water also runs up and the spectacle of a fresh water river beating it up hill is done enough to call attention to itself. But there is much more to it than that.

This North river is noted for being the scene of the first Indian raid on the coast settlements. It is notable for having given birth to the ship Columbia River, whose captain discovered and named the Columbia river and was the first American vessel to circumnavigate the world. It is notorious for having suddenly changed its name on its course on the night of November 27, 1909, when it moved its mouth three miles to the northward and presented the town of Marshfield with a deep harbor, killed three men and converted about 200,000 acres of prime meadow land into a salt marsh.

Further chilling about this river is its crookedness. This river is so crooked that it double crosses itself. If you don't believe it go and see. There is a place in Hanover where by putting the river moves toward the source of almost its own length and is about four miles in doing it.—Boston Traveler.

AN IDEA OF BEAUTY

"In the [illegible] rooms of the [illegible] hangs a picture of [illegible] Grandfather's [illegible] Big-hatted, [illegible] whom you have [illegible] the Tiers [illegible] flopping in [illegible] over a barnyard at Rhinebeck. [illegible] whose names [illegible] are dozens of [illegible] scarred [illegible] Their talk [illegible] with serious [illegible] the [illegible] mill of the [illegible] and the spinning Fredericksburg [illegible] around like an animated top you may hear them whispering in her ear: 'You are as beautiful as a dachshund.'"

Around the Library Table

Reviews of the Latest Books of Fiction, Travel and Science | By Mollie E. Conners | Gossip About Makers of Books and Their Work

Dodd, Mead & Co. have published one of the important books of the year in "A Diplomatist's Wife in Many Lands," written by Mrs. Hugh Fraser, a sister of the late novelist, F Marion Crawford

The first volume deals with the writer's life in Rome, and the second volume describes life and society in Europe, the Orient and South America during twenty eventful years, the author's husband, Hugh Fraser being one of the noted diplomats of his time

A great charm of the book will, of course, be for many readers Mrs Fraser's reminiscences of her brother, Marion Crawford one of the most distinguished story tellers of his day We may admire Dickens and Thackeray, but they belong to another generation, to hat of our mothers and grandmothers F Marion Crawford has been a novelist of our own time, and we have watched his literary development with interest and a new book from his pen, has marked eventful hours in our lives One might quote whole columns at once from thi thoroughly readable book and much light is thrown on Crawford's early days

"When he was twelve years old he was sent to America to study at St Paul's school, Concord where the head master was an old friend of his mother's After three years at St Paul's he went to England to prepare for Cambridge University, and spent some time with a tutor in Essex The life in Essex furnished the material for one of his early novels The Tale of a Lonely Parish Crawford said once to his sister England is the most romantic country in the world Anything could happen in those lonely old country houses, lost in a dip of the moors, miles away from the beater roads No Eastern despot has finer opportunities for autocracy than an ordinary English squire

The wonderful novels of the Saracinesca are the books by which Crawford will be longest remembered

ABRUZZI DISTRICT

In Italy, Marion Crawford was very fond of the wild Abruzi district which he afterward described so vividly in Saracinesca. In order to become thoroughly acquainted with the people as they dressed as one of them and wandered about in the mountains for a whole month, leading a mule laden with sacks of beans, which he sold to the peasants They thought he was a peddler from Rome, and never dreamed that he could speak any dialect but the broad lingua Romana

From Mrs Fraser's account Marion Crawford's career at Cambridge must have resembled that of Mr Arthur Pendennis at Oxford At Cambridge she tells us he did not have the reputation of an ardent student, but he enjoyed himself immensely That term in Cambridge was one which was being constantly applied to him by his fellow students and at last he thought he might as well show people what it meant He hunted for the biggest trotting horse he could find, had a towering dog cart built dressed himself in checks a foot square and of outrageous colors and thus equipped paraded the dignified University town to the scandal of the authorities and the joy of his fellows

CLOCK ON DOG CHAIN

He had a clock a French gilt clock exactly imitating a watch and having an instructed his tailor to make a pocket large enough to hold it He attached it to a big dog chain, the links of which he collected ostentatiously across his waistcoat One day in the train a fractious stranger glancing at this ornament asked him the time When Marion pulled out the watch two inches thick and as large round as a musk melon the joker turned white He thought he was shut in with a maniac and rushed from the carriage at the next stop. Heavy money losses came upon the Crawford family and Marion was obliged to return to Rome and take up the problem of earning out an independence

Later Mrs Fraser writes

"The story of how Mr Isaacs came to be written is too well known to need repetition But there is an odd incident in the history of the novel she says which is less well known Marion wrote it in a few weeks and sent it to Macmillan and then forgot all about the manuscript for three months had passed and no notice was taken of it Years afterward when as Henry James once remarked Marion was 'meat and drink' to publishers he was shown a letter from John Morley who had been a reader for Macmillan He classed Mr Isaacs as a work which would never be popular I would not say well But he advocated its production saying that it was original and well written and would do a respectable publishing house no harm

Mrs Fraser pays high tribute to her brother's thoroughness He was so scrupulous she says that he would not write about any subject of which he had not practical mastered the details A Roman Singer was the outcome of years of familiarity with the musical life of Rome For 'Marzio's Crucifix' he went into the question of Venetian glass work on the spot

For 'Mr Isaacs' he became a silversmith making his own designs and beating them out The general classic form To write The Witch of Prague he went and lived in that city and learned Bohemian It was the sixteenth language he had acquired

"I do not know how many were added to the aforesaid Latin Greek Italian French and Arabic Latin and Teutonic tongues—he possessed them all and I remember his telling me gravely that any one might be able to learn a new language in six weeks

Mrs Fraser's descriptions of her life in many lands are enlivening and she has made a most delightful contribution to the world of literature

ALONG UNIQUE LINES

In fact all the "reminiscences" which characterize so much of the Christmas literature have been along truly unique and original lines The Reminiscences of Rosa Bonheur is very ably edited by Theodore Stanton One finds many of Rosa Bonheur's letters and they seem to have been exceedingly well chosen The Bonheur ancestors for three generations were cooks but Rosa's father had talent for drawing One reads of her

'Her growing love for animals soon turned their home into a Noah's ark When she was about twenty three she began to work in the slaughter houses 'To be lost like animals' she said one must love them She had a mare that would rear up put its hoof on her shoulders kiss her then actually follow her up stairs When she went to Paris or out in society she always wore a black silk gown and cloak. She was very proud of her hands and even coquettish about them There was no posing about her adoption of trousers, it was simply for convenience, and occasionally for protection These and tobacco were offset by a taste for dancing and music No money offer could ever hasten her she had excessive modesty about her work and made her customers wait long for canvases practically finished Her dominating qualities were honesty, candor and uprightness, her nature was serious and meditative, and all the country side adored her'

TELLS OF HOLY LAND.

'The Holy Land" is one of the most beautiful books that has appeared in many months The word sketches are by Robert W Hichens whose color work was so magnificently done in his splendid novel, The Garden of Allah'

Mr Hichens wrote the text and the pictures are by Jules Guerin There are eighteen pictures by this notable painter, and many good photographs besides

Mr Hichens entered the Holy Land by way of Boalbec It is still unique in Syria, thoroughly oriental, and even the Arabs do not interfere with the atmosphere of the East In no other town are so many alluring displays of food and the butcher and baker and confectioner so coquettishly clever in arranging their wares

The essence of its wonderful charm is that it is a garden city touched by the great desert, under its roses one feels the sands

One reads of the descriptions in this book

The calm of Galilee on a spring morning is like no other calm gentler and sweeter than that of the desert it is as you drew near to God the Son Everywhere there is beauty touching and exquisite The approach to Jerusalem is inhospitable sterile and cruel On wonders why a great city should ever have been built on such a site The beauty of the mountains of Moab is in full circle Jerusalem is a haunted city on seven hills And in this Holy Land you pass from one world to another with bewildering swiftness

The local color in the descriptions is wonderfully done It is characteristic of Hichens best work but here is added a tone of reference haunted with wistful sense and the pathos of what the civilizations have made of the footsteps of Christ

LONGEST STORY

John Winterbourne's Family (Houghton Mifflin & Co) is Miss Alice Brown's longest story

It is a little difficult to call it a story its pages are so overloaded with conversation that it is a most impossible to see the movement of the plot In fact the situations which are developed in many cases beyond reconciliation with facts most of us know it A middle aged man who has divided his property with his wife and is living in gorgeous idleness suddenly finds himself dispossessed of his wife minus a fortune plus two adopted young women daughters How against his will he finally adjusts himself to the new situation how he girls one of whom is Temperance representative of artistic temperament and the other of mirth worship find themselves mingled in his household readjusts himself to a large order of things presents issues complications with his wife and finally disappears in Europe with the suggestion that he is not speedy death Final solution by Miss Brown with altogether too long consideration And set out from the outset of big social situations Greek mythological expositions of the frailty of uplifted women there emerge three or four distinct characters whom it is a pleasure to meet The conversations which justify the book in its title are not unique and altogether better worth while than anything he has previously done

IN LONDON "QUARTER"

Elizabeth Robins Pennell has done for the London "quarter" what many have done for the Paris 'Latin quarter, 'Our House and the People in It is just a rare kindly, bright description of such people as " Enriette —and anyone who has roomed in London will recognize the woman—the beggars the tenants and the other people who make the real life of the dirty old city These kindly studies in personality are worthy of the handsome clothes in which the publishers dressed them

The old and the new are skilfully woven together in Mary F Nixon Roulet's 'The Spaniard at Home She tells much about Spain but more about the Spaniard The homes of the people their intimate family life customs and ideas are described as by a friend She takes you along the streets to church to market opera and games Many good sketches and photographs make this charmingly written book a valuable and interesting addition to a library on Spain

One is so proud of California that praise for a California writer goes to one's heart A recent critic says of Jack London's Burning Daylight

When you come right down to it the majority of our great books have been only melodramas handled with gloves The man whose novel described life as it really is would be declared impossible Not because it is different from real life but because it is different from the real life as pictured in other books It is perhaps just as well after all to without the exaggerations and impossibilities of fiction Fiction would become even more practical and prosaic than it is For that reason we should welcome Jack London's Burning Daylight (Macmillan) praising it for its strength and regarding it as improbabilities Not Incredible The Sea Wolf His London will long be powerful and the ring of a tale running Daylight the giant with an abnormal brain whose masterful personality makes him a fascinating creation is a character which Nietzsche would not lay scorn upon His manliness his strength and utmost uprightness his righteousness make him fame and fortune in the Klondike and when he goes to San Francisco and bucks the game of high finance his pluck grows to titanic proportions More fortunate than most last has Daylight found but he himself but he loses himself perhaps it is to lose unselfishly sacrifices his riches when it means the winning full and happy life Journey's close

The Blue Arch (Scribners) is by Alice Ilgenfritz Miller who writes very entertaining stories with a social environment A stranger passes by and changes the happiness of Blue Arch

Mrs Nixon's cool portrayal of unemotional mind she is the best in her stories It is a serious thing to have a soul Her characters usually not wholesomely well to sister to forget that they are a share of the social kingdom which is their inheritance But she insists on following up those and so forces a most interesting story that shows how a just and justified divorce can be without losing any of the romantic charm

ROSE IN THE RING

The Rose in the Ring (Dodd Mead & Company) is the latest book of George Barr McCutcheon Of the very story methods

[illegible] subject [illegible] in this country but it is not a romance Mr McCutcheon is a writer of romance It is inspiring and his characters step out in the very spirit of Romance with a thrill Dodd Jenness the young Virginian who comes flocking over the mountains is just the handsome likeable Virginian we all love to draw Ann the Rose—well she is quite as sweet and brave and fascinating as one of Virginia's daughters

Throughout the Princess Virtue Poetry and many of her predecessor The Rose has had its fair and David a wicked uncle and they meet at a circus where she is a star equestrienne and he becomes a waiter There are intrigues and a real blood gun and taken dangers and peculiar misunderstandings Here through not it is all so pleasant dealing with the human sentiment and the treacherous rush of story telling which have made the author's name is that the reader can as he settles down to read it with a rush of content After all this is an old time McCutcheon story

NOVEL OF COMEDY

Married Life of the Frederic Nicholls (Stillman Co) is a novel full of plot of pure comedy composed of a series of progressive episodes in the life of young people each one sure and truth showing amusing angle their relations to each other their faults and the [illegible] is dealt with Mr Williams a substratum of serious sentiment underlying the story gives humor and the book a genuine study of modern life Beginning as to does most novels [illegible] off at the finished of the most interesting complicated and most important phase of a man's or woman's life

HEAP BIG HUNTER"

Emerson Hough the author of The Purchase Price and Heap big hunter has the scope of more than a dozen years to his credit The Chicago Record Herald said not long ago that he was going to Africa like T R for big game But it's really as that Mr Hough has as eye on in the northeast corner of Africa there is a particular kind of long haired tiger in which he is very much interested

Mr Hough has however found plenty of sport in this continent. He has hunted bear in all the Rockies from Mexico to Alaska and has finished pretty much all the waters between those extremes

He is a crack shot with a rifle or shotgun He has never allowed any one to know whether or not he is a good shot with a six shooter and carefully refrains from shooting at a mark with that weapon He has often been asked whether he ever had personal trouble anywhere in the West and he is very shy about answering that question also As the West being tough he holds that it never was as dangerous as the large cities are now

WANDERING LIFE

In Ups and Downs of a Wandering Life Walter Seymour an Englishman, tells the story of his adventures in various parts of the world He has knocked around in the Argentine Paraguay, Italy [illegible] Palestine Australia [illegible] and other unfamiliar [illegible] with business with a good deal of fun and his book which he just published is said to be full of adventure and amusing incidents

Patty's Success

(Dodd Mead & Co) is by Carolyn Wells author of Patty Fairfield

Patty's success really began seven years ago with the publication of a new girls book called Patty Fairfield Patty was so successful in making a great many friends that the next year Miss Wells wrote a second volume about her The new book was popular and the old book retained its popularity And ever since it has been the history of a very bright, very charming and very successful series that the new volumes are popular and the old ones retain their popularity By now it is an established fact that the Patty books are here to stay

It is said that Miss Wells is before she is beginning a new book purchases a five pound box of candy and a bottle of red ink When the box is empty and the bottle of ink exhausted the story for the publisher At last the manuscript of each new book arrives in an empty candy box and furnishes far more delightful entertainment to hundreds of little girls than could a vast amount of candy

MOLLIE E CONNERS.

Fraternal Societies of Alameda County

Among the important Masonic events of the week will be the installation of officers of Oakland Chapter Royal Arch Masons, which will be held next Wednesday evening in Masonic Temple, Twelfth and Washington streets, where C C. Borton will be installed as high priest.

Mr and Mrs E F Hughes will entertain the officers of Sequoia Lodge at their home in Vernon Heights next Tuesday evening, where the officials will be accompanied by their wives About 30 members have been bidden to attend

Oak Leaf Chapter Order of Eastern Star will give the first dance of the season January 31 in Maple Hall, Fourteenth and Webster streets, where the members and their friends will fill the ballroom This will be the initial event of the year to be given by Oak Leaf which is one of the largest chapters in the State It will be one of the social affairs of the new year

NATIVE SONS

Brooklyn Parlor, 151 N S G W held an enjoyable session at its headquarters East Twelfth street and Seventh avenue last Wednesday evening when the regular outline business was transacted

A rehearsal of the ritualistic work was held by the new officers preparatory to the installation ceremonies of January 15 and it was gratifying to note the work was put on in first class shape when a new candidate was initiated A Pioneers' club was organized with a view to securing new members and a lively campaign in the interest of the affair is promised for the new year

Athens Parlor 195 Native Sons will entertain a number of guests of the local parlors at Woodmen Hall on Tuesday evening January 10

The members of the committee of arrangements are bending their efforts toward making the affair a success and anticipate a large gathering

The installation ceremonies will take up the main part of the evening after which a varied program and a banquet will complete the affair D P C Kelly may will be presented with the sword of the order On that occasion he will retire from the office of junior past president

LADIES O' THE MACCABEES

Oakland Hive No 1 had a large attendance at its regular review Thursday night in Maccabee Hall Eleventh and Clay streets Applications for membership were received and referred to the investigating committee

Plans are under way for a public installation of officers elect on Thursday January 26 Members are requested to invite their friends on that evening A dance will follow the ceremonies

The officers and members will entertain Commander Mrs Maude Avedolette who has been in Nevada and other places on visit of the order

Many visitors from Eureka Hive No 10 Melrose Hive No 70 and Lieutenant Commander Mrs Gregory gave a brief address Guards and officers elect are urged to be present at the next review and initiation

FRATERNAL AID

The Fraternal Aid Association met last Tuesday evening when officers were installed Past President F E Clough It was done in a creditable manner and the lodge returned rising vote of thanks to the officers The auditing committee found the books of the retiring officers in excellent condition and the financial statement of cash expenditures and liabilities showed a healthy local fund After the new officers were seated the past president stated that plans for future work could be opened up and a special card requesting the aid of officers and members appeared at this time and an earlier adjournment would be made By motion of the president appointments of committees to obtain new members and work in connection with the trustees obtain new quarters were called The Lady Maccabees to meet on the first Tuesday following the regular meeting Feb 7 at 1 p m

The next meeting of the lodge will be held Tuesday evening January 24 at 8 o'clock

ROYAL HIGHLANDERS

The Royal Highlanders held a public installation of officers Wednesday evening, January 4 The affair was attended by members and their friends to the number of 300 Work was put on in the guard and installation forms The work of the team was commended by all present Mr and Mrs H Cohen of Santa Rosa and Mr and Mrs Dibble of Spokane Wash were among visitors Dancing and cards concluded the entertainment

Hesperian Kensington will meet at the home of Mrs Edwards Linden on Thursday afternoon January 12

ORDER OF MOOSE

Between 400 and 500 members of the Oakland Lodge No 1 Loyal Order of Moose assembled last Tuesday evening in Woodmen Hall on Seventh street to attend a public installation for the ensuing year This was one of the most successful and enthusiastic meetings held since the institution of the lodge After the business meeting a fine program of entertainment was rendered and the floor was cleared for dancing Prof Parbet and Wentworth's orchestra furnished the music Refreshments were served

The wives and friends of members were invited to attend that night and a new [illegible] was given which will follow the business meetings

Supreme Dictator Dr Hall of San Francisco was present and an address by him on the principles of the order was delivered which will be followed by a banquet at the Hall Market street

MODERN WOODMEN

Colonel Cecil will install the public installation officers on Thursday evening January 12 at Pythian Hall Ninth and Grove streets to which all the members and their families are most cordially invited State Deputy H W Rees will act as installing officer and Deputy B M Watson will be heralded out The officers elect to be installed are as follows Past Consul H L Houck Honorable Consul J J Marks Adviser P Bonnet Banker Geo Hofman Clerk J H Hubert Escort James Gartland Watchman C Engle Sentry L Cambert Manager E S Blaze The committee is arranging an interesting program to follow the installation Refreshments will be served

The installing officers will be assisted by the Forster team in command of Chief Forester Keel which will add interest to the ritualistic exercises

All members of Golden Gate camp are requested to be present and an invitation is extended to members of other camps of Woodmen and Royal Neighbors

On Tuesday evening the Hayward camp of Woodmen and Royal Neighbors will hold a joint installation at the Native Sons hall in Hayward State Organizer W H Burk will act as installing officer for the Woodmen and Chief Forester Keeler of Golden Gate camp as head escort Mrs B M Watson district deputy for the Royal Neighbors, will install the officers for the local Neighbor camp Will attend and assist in the exercises

The Hayward camps are doing good work at every meeting and promise an overall meeting

MRS. NELLIE B JAMES, past worthy matron of Oakland Chapter, who was one of the honored guests at the fifteenth anniversary celebration of the lodge held last Thursday evening in Masonic Temple

MACCABEES

The newly formed Oakland tent No 17 in Modern Woodmen presents for the second meeting last Monday evening a class of candidates was instituted in the first degree J P Peterson of Golden West and San Francisco and Joseph Elliott of Virginia and Oakland gave addresses and that their efforts will result in full of this January Velet from Record Keeper Rockwell in miles of Oakland tent is natural and easier

The long list of cases of illness of this district could be partially attributed to the cold storms were not forgotten by committee from Island tent which is in charge of the evening Refreshments and lunches

Monday evening January 9 Great Command Hill is set by the uniform rank will install the officers of Oakland tent Uniform rank will follow

PYTHIAN SISTERS

Tuesday evening January 3 Calanthe Temple held a short business session after which the remainder of the evening was devoted to cards A good time was had and all present enjoyed a pleasant evening Prizes were awarded the lucky holders of the lucky numbers after which refreshments were served

WOODMEN OF WORLD

The regular monthly meeting of the Alameda county executive committee of the Woodmen of the World was held in the committee rooms in Sedgwick Building Monday night The first Sunday in February will be observed as Memorial Sunday by the camps in Alameda county and a committee was appointed to make arrangements for that day

The following officers have been selected to administer the affairs of the county committee for the ensuing year W H Hazelton president Mrs M Robinson vice president Oakland adviser Mrs A Sands Oakland banker D J Murphy Oakland escort J J Steiner A Jones watchman Mrs H Farnum sentry Alpha D J McCullagh will control the Joseph Beam and Oakland camp drill team Captain Ed Funk will assist the officers

T O Crawford of Oakland camp will act as expiratory reader

Head Manager Robinson reported that the camps in Watsonville Hollister Santa Cruz and Aromas reached the 100 per cent mark

The second contest of the ritualistic banner between the Athens and Oakland camps was again won by Athens Each camp will retain the emblem for another six months Athens is now subject to challenge from any other camp which took part in the original contest The months visit will be made to Elmhurst camp on the 16th instant Installation of officers and a general good time may be expected Forest camp will install on the 23d instant Peralta, Cerrito and Wedgwood camps will hold a joint installation at Peralta camp on the 17th Alpha camp will be installed by Spruce camp East Oakland on the 17th instant Oakland camp will install on the 19th instant and Fruitvale on the 12th instant The next meeting of the committee will occur on February 1 and all the delegates must be represented at this meeting

The regular weekly meeting of Forest camp No 102 W O W, was held at Alcatraz hall Seventh and Peralta streets New applications were received and five certificates were on the clerks desk

Next Monday an old time initiation will be held and arrangements will also be made for a big banquet and theater party All neighbors who are present in the convention hall before 9 o'clock will receive a free ticket to a theater

The new officers will be installed on the 23d instant by Peralta camp team.

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD

Last Friday evening Oakland Lodge No 123 Fraternal Brotherhood held its regular weekly session in Pythian castle 2nd Twelfth street Brother President Loutzenhiser presiding Fourteen applications to become members by initiation were presented balloted for and elected to membership in one to become a member by and preparatory to class initiation January 27 at which time we will have the supreme officers from Los Angeles with us January 13 will be program night at which time we will be glad to see all our friends who are not members of the order January 20 will be installation of officers for the ensuing term The officers will be installed by R. Newell Chappel the district manager but whether the installation will be public or private will be determined later

KNIGHTS OF MACCABEES.

Berkeley Tent No 86 Knights of Maccabees will hold a public installation in Bonita Hall Berkeley January 10 The installing officer will be Great Commander S W Heauf of Oakland, with Deputy H M Eisenblise as master of ceremonies

The Oakland division of uniform rank, Knights of Maccabees will be present in a body and assist in the ceremonies Dancing and refreshments will follow W. C Morse F W Seavy and W H Roach comprise the social committee in charge.

FORESTERS.

Court Oakland 12a7 Independent Order of Foresters held its annual installation of officers joint with companion Court 7 at its hall 21 Twelfth street Monday evening High Chief Ranger Murphy of San Francisco acted as installing officer The following were installed for Court Oakland 1037 Court deputy G F Ohlson Court physician I J W Legault, chief ranger B C Crook past chief ranger N Miller vice chief ranger E H Bushman financial secretary Frank M Reed recording secretary Will F Fellers treasurer J F Maughan orator P J Freeman organist P V Perry, trustees Woodward M Sierra junior Woodward J Sullivan senior R Geo. A Anderson junior B A Gelis trustees, R Martinelli S V Willard finance committee L F Fehlmann and J H Moritz

The officers installed in Companion Court were as follows Past [illegible] Mrs K J Sorg vice chief ranger Mrs J. Dolan recording secretary Mrs F Hillier financial secretary Grace Peperseck treasurer Mrs J Pogson organist Mrs Cuniffe junior Mrs Lelley senior Mrs H V Lane

On behalf of Companion Court 790 the high chief ranger presented Past Chief Ranger M K Savage with a handsome gold jewel suitably inscribed Little Fannie Scaife recited a poem which followed Sunday [illegible] which will be held at the Hall

The high chief ranger made a few remarks and complimented the newly installed officers on their work Retiring Chief Ranger Murphy made a few remarks complimenting the officers on their work and wishing them success in the coming term

After nominations and speeches by the members elected officials tendering refreshments and closing the meeting the committee on entertainment provided a program of vocal and instrumental selections

RELIEF CORPS.

Lyon Post No 5 G A R and Lyon W R C will hold a joint installation of officers in Lyon Hall Fruitvale avenue and Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale on Wednesday evening January 11 at 8 o'clock Past Department President Flora Hill Hale will preside over the meeting with Mrs Mary Hauf senior vice Mrs Matilda Lindquist junior Mrs Anna Hayes, treasurer Jennie Hemes chaplain Mrs Hill conductor Dora Schmeer assistant conductor Mrs Gaetzmen guard Kate Fidler assistant guard Sarah Lovejoy press correspondent Katherine Munson musician Lydia A Nothert color bearer No 1 Lloyne Fidler No 2 Margaret Cahill No 3 Mrs Rorath No 4 Mary Hanford

A solo will be rendered by Pauline Schemmer, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Schemmer, and a solo by Hazel McKinsey accompanied by Ruth McKinsey was very much enjoyed after which the retiring president Mrs Hale was presented with several handsome gifts tokens of appreciation from Lyon Corps and the Ladies of the G A R

DAUGHTERS OF ST GEORGE.

The installation of officers of Golden Gate colony No 28 Daughters of St. George will be held in Maple Hall January 11 The following sisters were installed Mrs Nixon president Mrs Lorenzen vice president Mrs Mitchell first [illegible] Mrs Osborn second conductor Mrs Grace inside guard Mrs Hunter junior Mrs Pasch 1d, financial secretary Mrs Hall recording secretary Mrs Bird trustee Mrs [illegible] trustee

A meeting refreshments were served Next Wednesday evening January 11 a public meeting will be held in Maple Hall at 8:30 o'clock.

LLOYDS GIVES POLICY AGAINST APPOINTMENT

LONDON Jan 7 [illegible] the insurance at Lloyds [illegible] against [illegible] [illegible] most [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

MRS. E. R. FRASIER, who has just returned from European tour.

MISS ETHEL HEALY, one of the most entertained among the younger girls.

MISS ETHEL BEAVER has sent out invitations for a tea which she will give at her home in San Francisco on Tuesday, January 10, in honor of Miss Edith Livermore. A large number of guests from this side of the bay will cross over to attend the affair which will be one of the smartest of the smaller teas held this year.

Miss Livermore has a host of friends who are entertaining her since her return from abroad, several affairs of the week being given for her in Berkeley.

Miss Livermore made a prolonged visit in Europe, where she made her home with Mr and Mrs. Albert Hurtgen, the latter of whom was Miss Mattie Livermore.

Miss Elizabeth Livermore joined her sister in New York. The family is well known here, where both sisters are prominent in the fashionable set.

HAVEMEYERS DEPART.

Mrs. Havemeyer and her daughters, Miss Ethel and Miss Vera Havemeyer, have closed their Vernon Heights home and have joined the colony of fashionable folk in Santa Barbara, where they contemplate remaining until the early summer. They have leased a cottage adjoining the Country Club at Santa Barbara. The two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stone of Burlingame are with the Havemeyers.

Mr and Mrs. Stone have closed their home and are established at the Fairmont for the winter.

EN ROUTE TO ANNAPOLIS.

Mrs. Edward Graham Parker and her little daughter are on their way to Annapolis, where Dr. Parker, U. S. N., has been ordered.

Mrs Parker has been much entertained by a large circle of friends during her stay on the Pacific Coast.

MISS JANET PAINTER, HOSTESS.

Miss Janet Painter was a hostess at dinner on Friday evening, when she entertained Miss Ethel Gregg, Miss Dorothy Mann, Miss Frances Ramsey, Miss Pauline Painter, Fritz Henshaw, Charles Gibbs, Dalton Mann and several others.

HOUSE PARTY.

Miss Marie Louise Tyson is entertaining six friends as her house guests over the week end at the Tyson country place near Saratoga, chaperoned by Mrs. George H. Tyson.

AT HOME.

Mrs. A Lowndes Scott has sent out invitations for an "at home" which she will give at her Hillside residence on Thursday afternoon of next week. Mrs. Scott has spent the greater part of the past few years in the southern part of the State and her friends in this city are welcoming her return.

HOME WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Erma Morrand Charles Howe took place yesterday at the family residence in Chapel street, Berkeley, before a large company of friends.

Miss Helen Howe, a sister of the bridegroom, attended as maid of honor and the prevailing color scheme was white and green.

COSMOS CLUB.

Mrs. John L. Howard will entertain the matrons of the Cosmos Club at her Vernon Heights home tomorrow afternoon, when she will give an attractively appointed luncheon, followed by an hour at the bridge tables.

OUT OF TOWN GUESTS.

Miss Simmons and Miss Emily Simmons are entertaining out of town guests at their Mare Island home for the week end, including Miss Sherman of this city and Miss Wilson of Berkeley.

IN SACRAMENTO.

Mrs Ralph Head, whose marriage was solemnized here during the holiday season, will be the motif for a smart luncheon of next week given in Sacramento by Mrs. Alden Anderson.

Mrs. George Samuels of this city has been a guest at the J. J. C Fitzgerald home.

RETURN FROM LOS ANGELES.

Dr and Mrs. E. G Simon have returned from Los Angeles, where they have been visiting for the past fortnight and have been entertained at several house parties in the southern city.

RETURNS FROM EUROPE.

Mrs E. R. Frasier, who has recently returned from Europe, has just moved into her new home in the Hillside district and will entertain considerably during the coming month.

LUNCHEON.

Miss Mercy Elinor Edwards entertained a coterie of Mills girls of the class of 1909 this week at a delightfully appointed luncheon, after which they enjoyed the matinee at Ye Liberty playhouse.

DINNER PARTY.

Mrs Robert Charles Aiken entertained at a dinner party at her home in Adams Point in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair, who leave the end of the week for Europe. The Sinclairs have given up their beautiful home in San Francisco and are at the Palace Hotel. Miss Pearl Allen will accompany them abroad and study art.

HILL CLUB.

The Hill Club of Oakland will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. W W Garthwaite on El Dorado avenue.

The club is composed of fifty women of the Hillside district, who meet regularly during the winter months.

CROCKER-IRWIN NUPTIALS.

The approaching nuptials of Miss Helene Irwin and Templeton Crocker is of wide interest on both sides of the bay, where the two families are among the most prominent in the fashionable life of San Francisco. The wedding will take place at the Irwin home and will be a magnificently appointed function.

Archbishop Riordan will read the marriage ceremony before a large company of friends.

Miss Jennie Crocker will be bridesmaid for the occasion. Many out of town guests and Eastern friends will arrive here for the wedding. Among the prominent people who will witness the ceremony are Ambassador and Mr. Whitelaw Reid, Mr and Mrs Richard Ives, Miss Marian Newhall, Miss Mary Keeney and Mrs. Richard Hammond.

Women's Clubs of Alameda County

THE convention of the Alameda District Federation of Women's Clubs, which will be held in Stockton about the middle of February, is of deep interest to a wide circle of friends. All the clubs in this district will be represented at the convention and Mrs. Annie Little Barry will preside.

A meeting was held of the executive board on Wednesday and plans for the district were discussed. The officers of the Alameda district are: Mrs Barry, president; Mrs Charles G Smith, vice-president, Mrs. Charles Allardyce, recording secretary; Mrs Charles S. Downes, corresponding secretary, Mrs. A B Cary, treasurer, Mrs. Kate Smith, auditor, and Mrs Fisher Clark, auditor, and they and Mrs. Russell J. Waters, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, will be the guests of honor at the first evening of the convention when an elaborate reception will be held.

Many new ideas were discussed at Wednesday's meeting and the following various committees were appointed:

Committee on nomination—Mrs Cora E. Jones, chairman; Mrs. F. D Weeks of Alameda, Mrs. J. C. Lynch of Berkeley, Mrs George Frederick of Oakland, Miss Mitchell.

Committee on resolutions—Miss Blanch Morse, chairman; Mrs. J. H Wood, Mrs Edna Felch of Richmond.

Committee on credentials—Mrs. A E. Cary, chairman; Miss Lotty Ruggles of Stockton, Mrs. Herbert Furlong of Pleasanton.

ADELPHIAN CLUB.

The Adelphian Club members and their guests enjoyed a delightful program Thursday afternoon at the club house, when a talk on "Tennyson and His Friends" was given by Mrs. Eleanor Bingham.

Mrs. Bingham is a Chicago woman who possesses rare talent and gave much pleasure to her hearers.

Mrs Henry Wetherbee presented Mrs Bingham to Oakland society a year ago when she gave a reception at her Fruitvale home when a large number of prominent women in club and social life were bidden to meet the honored guest.

Friday, 2 p. m., dramatic section.

Saturday, 2 p. m., union meeting—Mrs. Edgar J. Malmgren, soprano; Mr Bently Nicholson, tenor. Harmonie trio. Miss Alice Davis, violist Miss Florence Frenhoff, piano, Miss Alice Johnson 'cello Living Gibson pictures with incidental music Presiding hostess, Mrs Charles A. Bradford.

Monday, 10 a. m., civic section.

Monday, 2 p. m., parliamentary practice.

Tuesday, 2 45 p. m., tourist section Alaska—Mrs I. N Chapman.

Wednesday, 2:45 p. m., music history section. Pablo Sarasate—Program arranged by Miss Maria Mayorena.

Friday, 1 30 p. m., advisory board meeting.

Monday, 1 30 p. m., business meeting, followed by social hour; for members only.

Tuesday, 2 45 p. m., art history section.

Thursday, 2 p. m., new book section A talk on G. K. Chesterton and his later works, Mrs. George Barnes Bird.

D. A. R. PLANS.

The different chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution will give a series of lunches for the purpose of bringing about closer social relations among the members. On Saturday, January 14, at the Palace hotel in San Francisco, Mrs. F. C. Baker of Alameda will be the hostess of the day at the first luncheon.

The program will be given by Mrs. L. L. Gillogly, who will speak on England in 1776; Miss Lucile Knowland will give a talk on "The Atlantic Coast and the United States in 1776," and Mrs. Baker will present "The Pacific Coast and the Missions—Dolores as it Was in '76."

ENTERTAINED ORPHEUS CLUB.

At the dinner and dance given this week at the Home Club by the members of the Orpheus Club as the guests of honor the members were entertained and gave a delightful musical program to the club members. On Thursday, the 19 h, the regular club lunch will take place and a splendid musical and literary program is promised. Mr E. L Dow will sing and Mrs Lorenzo Inskeep will give an address on "Household Administration," or the New Profession of Home Making." Bridge will close the afternoon's pleasure.

ALTA MIRA CLUB.

Alta Mira Club's first meeting of the new year will take place on Monday, January 9, at the clubrooms in Masonic Temple Mrs E. E. Lynch will be hostess for the day and Mrs C. F. Wood will be chairman of the reception committee. The members include Mrs. H B Howell, Mrs W. T. Jess, Miss Reubena Jess, Mrs. T. F. Johnson, Mrs H. Z. Jones, Mrs. J. C. Jones, Miss Edith Jones, Mrs. Frank Knaugh, Mrs. H. Knaugh, Miss Jennie Knaugh, Mrs. Mary Knox, Mrs George Knox, Mrs. A. L Knox, Mrs Herbert Landis, Miss M. Lathrop, and the board of directors.

OAKLAND CLUB.

The Oakland Club will meet on Wednesday, January 11, when Rev. A W. Palmer, pastor of Plymouth Congregational church, will speak on "Modern Civic Ideals as Applied to Oakland." Mrs L. P. Crane is arranging the program.

EL MODELA CLUB.

El Modela Club gave a most picturesque dance during the week at a unique "snow party." Among those interested in the dance were: Mr. and Mrs J B. Cruz, Mr. and Mrs. Warren S. de Souso, Mr and Mrs. James Rhorer, Mr and Mrs William E. Adams, Mr and Mrs John Wilson, Mr. and Mrs George Nunes, Mr. and Mrs Albert Mathews, Misses Mabel Sinclair, Louise Johnson, Anra Drath, Anna Smith, Edna Siegfried, Lillian Parker, Mabel Anderson, Marie Wilcox, Vivian Bertin, Edna Brady, Ella Sperry, Wilda Robinson, Hazel McKenzie, Alma McCarthy, Hazel McCarthy, Edgar Smith, Edgar Thompson, Hubert Bonham, Charles Brown, Anslie Campbell, M. Scott, Stanley Hall, Roy Adams, Fred Gray, J. W. Reynolds, Edward Pierce, Edward Leimert, J. W Wright, E. L. Cobbs, S Richards.

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IN EIGHTY-FOURTH YEAR HE HAS FIRST DOCTOR

WINSTED Conn Jan 7—Thomas Elmere, who is in his eighty-fourth year, has just had a doctor on the first time in his life, but against his wishes. He was suffering with a severe cold and was threatened with pneumonia when a few days ago friends found him in bed in his home, on the old Colebrook road, with no fire in the house. He objected when told that he must have a physician, saying he had never had one all his life and he did not intend to start at this late day.

Dr. W. S. Richards was sent to his home, however, and the aged man finally agreed to take the medicine that was prescribed for him. He is now recovering. Elmere is an old railroad conductor, who used to live in New York with his son Benjamin, a Pullman conductor running between New York and Boston.

Elmere was in charge of a special Hartford & Connecticut Western train which while returning from a Wood and Sankey meeting in Harhford in the 70's, plunged through a trestle at Tariffville, nearly a score of persons being killed in the wreck.

GRANTED LEAVE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7—Captain R F Woods, coast artillery corps, Presidio of San Francisco, has been granted two months' leave of absence effective upon his being relieved from recruiting duty.

SUES LANDLADY FOR MORE HOT WATER

BOSTON, Jan. 7—Dr. Joseph J. Currie, a dentist of Jamaica Plain, has appealed to Judge Hitchcock in the superior civil court, asking the judge to make his landlady, Charlotte L. Mair, allow him all the hot and cold water he wants, sufficient heat and not to interfere with him or his patients by locking the front door to the house.

Charlotte Mair lives directly above Dr. Currie, who, in his bill asking for an injunction, says that his practice has been hurt and his health injured by the way his landlady has treated him. He says that she has turned off the hot and cold water and the heat many times when he needed them in his business. Judge Hitchcock granted a preliminary injunction.

Hold Conference On Fisheries Award

NEW YORK, Jan 7 — Sir Edward Morris, premier of Newfoundland and L P Brodeur, Canadian minister of marine and fisheries, held a preliminary conference here on the Hague fisheries award.

They are on their way to Washington.

MAKES CUT IN STATE FORESTS

President Taft Eliminates 167,608 Acres From Shasta Land.

WASHINGTON, Jan 7—The President has signed a proclamation eliminating 167,608 acres from the Shasta National Forest, California, and adding 26,787 acres. At the same time, for greater convenience of administration, 30,227 acres were transferred from the Shasta to the Trinity National Forest. These changes are the result of a careful field examination made by the United States Department of Agriculture in pursuance of a general plan for the correction of all national forest boundaries.

The eliminations comprise lands adjacent to nearly all portions of the exterior boundaries, which have been found either to be not chiefly valuable for national forest purposes or to be so heavily alienated that their administration by the forest service is impracticable.

The additions comprise many small tracts of vacant public lands found to be chiefly valuable for timber. The area transferred to the Trinity lies east of the Trinity river adjacent to the extreme southwestern portion of the Shasta forest.

The unappropriated portions of the lands eliminated by this proclamation will be restored to settlement and entry after they shall have been advertised in the local papers by the Secretary of the Interior.

MAJORS TRANSFERRED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7—Major Samuel W Dunning has been transferred from the Twenty-fifth infantry to the Seventh infantry. Major William P Burnham is transferred from the Seventh to the Twenty-fifth infantry.

BIG ALLIGATOR ATTACKS TRAINER

The Reptile Goes On Rampage, Snaps Victim's Leg and Strikes With Tail.

WASHINGTON, Jan 6 — "Custer," a seven-foot alligator which is being exhibited in a local music hall went on the rampage and attacked his trainer, Bert Swain.

Several swipes from the jaws of the beast and the snap of its strong tail on the leg of the victim sent the stage hands scurrying to the showman's assistance. They pried Custer open and a surgeon sewed up Swain's wounds. He found, in addition to several bites about the arms, legs and body, a deep gash across the scalp.

USES NEW HATCHET ON WOODEN PONY

PITTSBURG, Jan 7—Harry Faulkner, 5 years old, owned a real Shetland pony of Santa Claus when he saw on a street corner. Instead he got a bright red hobby horse. Among other presents was a new hatchet.

He was up Christmas before the rest of the family. He raced at the Christmas tree, then to his pony and immediately the scalp work was put into action.

He took all the wounds he dealt upon the "pony," and soon it lay in chips and splinters. Then he sat down and cried, because Santa Claus didn't know the difference between a pony and a hobby horse.

Little Home Helps On How to Be Beautiful

By MADAME MAREE.

FOR A ROSE-TONED COMPLEXION

Beautiful complexions are ruined through excessive use of minute particles of pores, causing blackheads and pimply eruptions, while the delicate tissues are aggravated and a rough, blotchy, unhealthy condition follows. A reliable massage cream is essential to free the pores and skin's surface from impurities and to promote a healthy bloom—the hallmark of refined beauty. You can prepare a trustworthy massage cream at small cost, by dissolving three ounces of coldfoil in a pint of hot water, stirring until smooth and creamy. This gently massaged into the skin makes it soft and satiny, and gives cheeks a rosy glow.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES.

Lulu: It is certainly wrong for you to lose your hair so rapidly and you should attend to it without delay. Mix a half pint each of alcohol and water, and into this put one ounce of beta-canthol. This simple recipe makes an inexpensive and excellent tonic and massaging the hair roots frequently with it stops falling hair, and its continued use will promote a thick growth of long glossy hair. Any druggist can supply beta-canthol.

Pixie: It is a rare pleasure to read a letter like yours, and I am glad my gallol recipe has given you a "sylph-like" form, as you say. You can make an excellent retiring cream at small cost, if you will get from your druggist two ounces of mintrol and dissolve in a pint of hot water. After washing the skin thoroughly and drying well, apply this retiring cream and you will find in a short time you have a complexion no powder or rouge can imitate.

Dinx D.: If you are interested and really want a good recipe for shampooing, get some eggol at the drug store and try it. Using this twice a month for a while soon restores the hair's scaly condition of the scalp, making it vigorous and glossy and stops falling hair. An eggol shampoo is delightful to use, and is especially good for oiliness. With this use the beta-canthol tonic mentioned elsewhere in these columns.

Nan: I know it is annoying to have fuzz on your cheek and if you will get an ounce of coldfoil at the drug store and mix some with a little water to make a thick paste and apply to the offending hairs, then after one or three minutes rub on and wash the skin and all the hairs are gone. While coldfoil is a trifle expensive it is seldom necessary to use the second application to permanently remove hairs.

Fay: Indigestion is due to a starved condition of the delicate tissues, and until corrected you can get round out the figure. The only successful method known is the Vivaire treatment. This feeds the nerve centres and is marvelous result. In four weeks plump and contour all your charms to perfection. You can easily prepare your own treatment at small cost. Get one and a half ounces sugar of milk and a pint and stir in an ounce of true gallol, which any druggist can supply. Take two teaspoonfuls before meals for a while and you will be truly delighted at results.

Practicing at throwing the lasso, eh? Well, that's harmless sport and it furnishes much amusement. Just keep right on practicing and some day you may be able to do about half of the marvelous things I have done in my good time. Mind you, I say about half, for no man ever lived or ever will live, for that matter, who will go out, as I did, and with nothing but a lasso stock up one of our representative zoological institutes with one or two specimens of every animal that ever was known to freely roam the jungle. Some day I may take you over to these zoological gardens and show you the fruits of my wonderful prowess.

To make a panorama the four strips may be pasted together at dotted lines in 1-2-3-4 order.

OLD OPIE DILLDOCK'S STORIES

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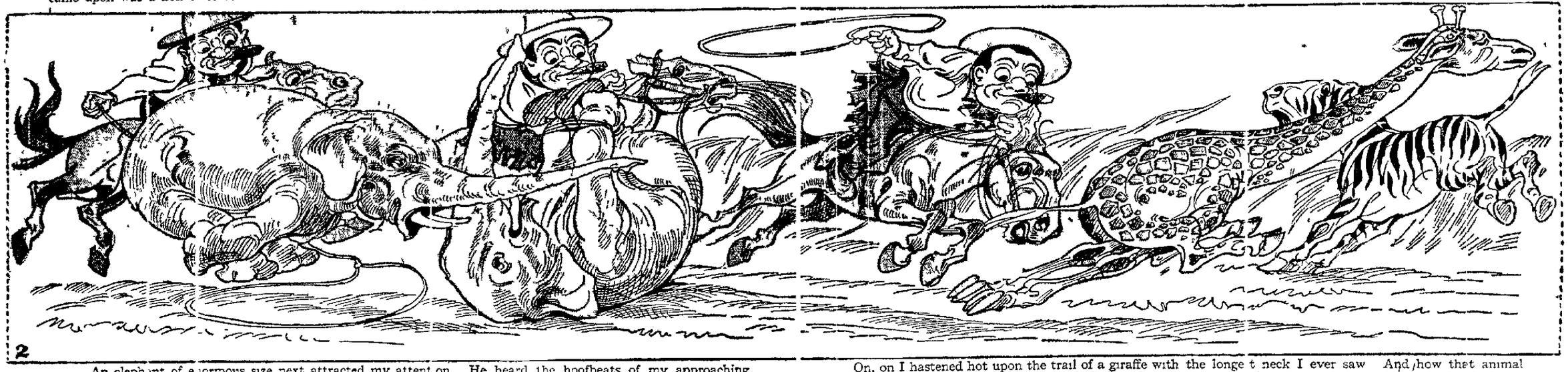
You children, who never have lassoed anything larger than a caterpillar, don't appreciate what a hard feat it is to go out in a wild jungle and undertake to lasso one or two of each of the wildest animals and bring them alive into captivity. But that is exactly what I did—captured enough animals to stock a zoological garden for one of our foremost institutes. On a spirited little mustang I set out in the densest jungle one day and the first thing I came upon was a lion of ferocious mien. I lariated him and trussed him without dismounting.

Then I recoiled my lariat and set out in hot pursuit of a fleet rhino who was scampering some yards ahead. I missed the first throw and with a derisive snort he fled on. It was then I determined that that would be my first and only miscue. Swinging my rope wildly about my head and urging my mustang at top speed I overtook the horned monster just as he was starting to break through the underbrush. This time my rope fell accurately about his massive shoulders, and he went toppling heels over head. I bound him securely and hurried on.



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An elephant of enormous size next attracted my attention. He heard the hoofbeats of my approaching mount, and throwing his trunk high in air, bolted running at terrific speed. Looping my lasso as I urged my horse forward, I gained upon the pachyderm slowly and surely, and as I came within striking distance I hurled my loop and played out several hundred feet of rope in the throw. It fell under the ponderous feet of the elephant, he stepped in the loop, and as he did so I gave it a violent jerk, turned him completely over and bound his feet together.

On, on I hastened hot upon the trail of a giraffe with the longest neck I ever saw. And how that animal could run! My, it was a revelation to even me. As he ran, a zebra galloped out of the underbrush ahead of him and set him a merry pace. It was a close race while it lasted, but I finally overtook him, my mustang breathing heavily. Round my head I swirled the enormous lasso, and then, with great accuracy, flung it over the head of the giraffe, bringing him to a dead halt. It was the work of a few seconds only to put him hors de combat.

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Galloping on hung the giraffe in a convenient fork in a tree under which I passed. It was at this point that I was joined by a chattering and clamoring orang-outang who asked permission to accompany me. Being lonesome, I accepted his companionship, and he went along, his antics furnishing me much amusement in my strenuous hunt for wild animals. We took up the pursuit of the magnificent specimen of zebra, who had gained on us as we paused to hang the giraffe in the tree. The orang, with amazing chattering, urged my horse to greater speed.

We had a hard time recovering the distance we had lost, for that zebra was considerable runner and for a long time I despaired of overtaking him. The orang-outang, however, laughed merrily and told me to keep up the chase, knowing, he said, the zebra would soon lose heart and capitulate. Thus reassured I went on, and sure enough, soon the zebra slackened his speed long enough to permit me to draw close enough to hurl the lariat before him, treat him to a somersault, and then, when he recovered his breath, remind him he was a captive in the hands of the enemy.

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Well, I got one or two of every quadruped that ever roamed that desolate jungle, and when I had captured the last one I lined them all up and informed them that they were to be taken to a wonderful institute where their traits were to be studied. "You will understand," I said to them, "that it would be foolhardy for you to attempt to escape, for I would only recapture you and my treatment of you then would be quite severe. Over where I intend taking you you'll be fed the choicest meats and viands, and life over there will be one perpetual holiday and most enjoyable."

That they understood and would behave was evidenced by their glad roars and screeches of unconfused happiness. So, mounted on my trusted mustang, I led the grand march from the heart of the jungle, the orang-outang, clinging to the bare back of the zebra, bringing up the vanguard. All went well, and stopping only long enough for food at various times we went merrily upon our homeward trip. No discord marred our journey, and within a few days, brimming over with pride at my miraculous accomplishment, I led the long line of submissive animals to the cells which had been prepared for them.

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HORRORS OF RUSSIAN PRISON ARE SHOWN TO WORLD

KAISER'S LAND FORGING AHEAD

Progress Gaining Slowly But Surely in Germany, According to Events.

Constitution Awarded to Alsace-Lorraine; Many Savages Are Convicted.

(By MALCOLM CLARKE.)

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—Progress is gaining here slowly but steadily. This is shown by recent events. One is practically granting of a constitution to the conquered provinces of Alsace Lorraine, which were wrung by PP ussia from France 40 years ago. The other was the conviction of two savages who were petty officers in the imperial navy.

The proposed constitution for the conquered province of Alsace Lorraine provides for home rule and manhood suffrage.

The federal council and the reichstag are eliminated as factors in the legislation of the province. Two chambers are provided for the first consisting of eighteen representatives either ex officio or elected by the various trades or professions, and of eighteen designated by the Emperor and the Second consisting of members elected by universal suffrage with secret ballot, the franchise being extended to all nationals over 25 years of age provided they have decided in their commune over three years or hold and on which they have resided for the year or pursue a permanent trade or agriculture on their own account or hold public office, or are engaged in legal practice, or in ecclesiastical or scholastic service.

Two votes are allowed to electors over 35 and three votes to electors over 45 years of age.

The ex officio members of the Upper Chamber include the heads of the Catholic Protestant, and Jewish communities, representatives each of the agricultural organizations the Chamber of Commerce and the proposed new Labor Chamber, a representative of the University of Strassburg and several representatives of the local authorities.

GET SEVEN YEARS.

At a naval courtmartial held at Kiel, two engineer petty officers of a torpedo boat were sentenced to seven years penal servitude each for brutal ill treatment of a stoker cousin. The latter's death. Petty Officer Vroshke sent a recruit named Brandt to clean a bullet furnace which was still red hot and thrasted him with a rope's end because he wanted to come out. Subsequently Vroshke locked Brandt in the furnace till the latter fainted. Then he was brought out and abused for two hours while in a fainting condition. On the following day the man died.

The hazing is not openly winked at but encouraged as shown by the fact that the Emperor William has commuted the sentence of a weeks imprisonment given on two Bonn students for hazing a 4 weeks attention. The sentence of imprisonment would have closed their ears to all official careers in the Army or Civil Service to the two young nobility, that is to say people who follow no useful trade calling or occupation.

IN SEARCH OF VOICE

The police have failed to find the writer of the voice which was heard in the flat of the recently murdered Frau Hofmann who was later found dead in her bedroom.

The police summoned by the neighbors who had heard a scream and the cry of fire in the flat had to force their way in. Each door was locked and each was broken open by the police before a voice protesting in the room beyond. The mysterious person is supposed to have escaped by the back stairs. The inquiry was pushed no further, the body having been discovered by the police who abandoned search for a week.

The result of the investigation has been rather to shake the theory that the murderer was a woman. The voice and the neighbors who had the murderer through the closed doors were convinced that the voice was that of a woman.

The murderer must have been acquainted with the old woman and her habits. She was so suspicious that she would admit nobody whom she did not know well. The murderer must have been able to gain access to her sitting room without opposition. A large sum stated to amount to $2,000 children securities has been found in a drawer in the flat. Probably it was this that the murderer was looking for.

SLATTERNLY WOMEN ABOUND IN COREA

PARIS, Jan. 7.—In an interesting article on the Coreans Lannel argues, referring to the gradual movement of the people and their progress, costumes says that the ladies are little slatternly in appearance the men on the other hand looking grand in their white tunics recalling the burnous of the Arabs of Algeria. This silhouette is sometimes spoiled by the fantastic headwear. This marks the social position of the wearer. The national popular hat high in form has a tube of half the color of ours and is slightly conical black in color supported by brims. The material is of horsehair, very finely woven.

BRITISH FOLKS HAVE HOLD ON LAW

Liberals Assured of Numerical Strength Enough to Carry Out Program.

Churchill Looks for Many Reforms After the Veto Has Been Abolished.

(By PAUL LAMBETH.)

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The election being over and the liberals having been assured of numerical strength in Parliament sufficient to carry out pretty nearly any program they may decide upon the people may depend upon securing any reform within reasonable bounds which they may ask for. Lest there might be any doubt on the subject Churchill one of the liberal leaders has come out with an emphatic declaration as to the program of the party. Speaking at Paisley recently he said in the course of an address which was applauded enthusiastically:

"After the veto has gone it is my hope and belief that the new Parliament may come together as no Parliament has yet done in a whole hearted effort to solve the great problems which stare us in the face and to consolidate and fortify the strength the peace and the glory of our common country."

MAJORITY TRUE

"After all deep and wide as are our party differences strong as are the contrasts of feeling and conviction of temperament and interest which mark and diversify our political life the overwhelming majority of British men and women stand true and clear for peace abroad for law and order at home for the reconciliation of races within the kingdom for the unity and consolidation of the empire for a supreme effort in challenged naval for a better and fuller and more scientific organization of the social life of the people for the direction of the abuses of wealth and monopoly for religious equality and for industrial progress.

"We stand for all that and I have hopes that the new House of Commons may find great schemes of national insurance in the reform of the poor law in the development of national resources in the training of our youth in leaving the Imperial Parliament free to consolidate by well considered plans of devolution the work of free selling. The two islands by giving Ireland a Parliament for her management of purely Irish affairs in prison reform even in the reform of our electoral laws and the redistribution of constituences—it is my hope that the new house may find in all these immense and necessary tasks a great deal more common ground than is now apparent."

LOYALTY TO MONARCH

I think that it is the wish of every one of us that the coronation of the King should display to all the world not only the abiding loyalty of the British Empire to the institution of monarchy and its attachment to the person of the sovereign but should also make manifest the deep and fundamental unities which underlie the class and creeds of the British nationality that they stand for a season of rejoicing and of communion and good feeling in which Liberal and Conservative, Unionist and nonconformist shall be there part in which Welshmen and Scotchmen shall conscientious and Irishmen which Ireland shall not be excluded."

Addressing an assemblage at Dundee he said: "They have old associations with us once too often. Traitors they have knocked clear. Let the Irish they have got to make up their mind. The liberal solution of legislation of the day abolition of the veto of the House of Lords disestablishment of the Welsh church maintenance of the trade grant of self government for Ireland and abolition of plural voting."

WREAKS VENGEANCE WITH LIVE WIRES

VIENNA, Jan. 7.—An act of vengeance has it is alleged been wreaked against a gamekeeper at Hadersdorf who had taken legal steps against the workmen of a neighboring electrical works for stealing wood.

The path along which his two children went every day to school passed under a highly charged overhead cable. From this a wire was suspended it is stated in such a way that the children through curiosity or accident were sure to touch it. An eight year old boy was instantly killed and his brother who was holding him by the hand was severely burned. The bodies after the autopsy

WOULD SAVE PARIS FROM DRINK

Premier Briand Declares City in Danger of Drowning Itself in Absinthe.

Rural Police Watch Murderer at Work, But Let Him Get Away.

(By PAUL VILLIERS.)

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The liquor question promises to become a dominant issue in this country. It is likely before long the government will draft a drastic measure to reduce the number of drinking places which are increasing at an alarming rate. Premier Briand has intimated his intentions both in the legislature in interviews and in private. He recently said France was in danger of drinking itself to death.

LET SLAYER GO

An extraordinary story of rural police methods comes from Pontcarre a little summer resort situated near the forest of Armainvilliers where a tramp murdered an old woman who kept a small inn. Hearing the old woman's screams, her neighbor instead of giving the alarm went off to fetch her husband in a village a mile away leaving the woman to her fate. The husband thought he had better tell the local watchman and went off to the latter's house. In his turn the watchman decided he must inform the mayor who was working at Edouard de Rothschild's chateau in the neighborhood. At once the mayor set out for the scene accompanied by the watchman a commercial traveler who happened to be in the village and a shopkeeper. Through the windows of the murdered woman's inn they could see the murderer rifling the rooms but the mayor refused to act until the gendarmes arrived. When the tramp came down stairs the party saw him stepping over his victim who lay dead. Only after the guardians of public order had watched the violation of the law for 20 minutes did the watchman decide to take action. Crying in the name of the law and beating on the door. But the murderer opened a back window and escaped easily into the black depths of the forest. So far he has not been captured.

DOG GIVEN BURIAL

The seventeenth brigade of the city police got up a funeral for the police dog Leo shot dead by an Apache. Leo who was the pet of the brigade working with his comrade and friend the mastiff Prince on the fortifications late at night scenting with a quicker sense petrol. Just under the massive stonework of the disused fortresses the two dogs hauled before a gap recently in through wood palings.

Three examined the spot and then returned to the police showing signs that something was amiss. Two officers returned to the gap and decided to go through. Leo and Prince went with them. The policemen had not gone many steps when surprised by a revolver fusillade.

Satisfied that they had to do with outlaws the officers slipped the leashes of the two dogs which leaped for the fence and made toward one of the men who was shooting. His man almost succeeded in getting away but after a chase the police seized him.

HEARTS OF MONARCHS

In the Cathedral of St. Denis there is a room which contains the hearts of some French monarchs.

The name of each sovereign is engraved on the pedestal. There was no pedestal reserved for the heart of Louis XVII but in the middle of one of the rows a pedestal rather larger than the others bore the initial N without a crown. The casket was in gold. M. Bousey d'Arglas suggests with some support from other authorities that this is the heart of Napoleon placed there by one of those who served him at St. Helena and having been taken from the body after the autopsy.

Riot in British Workhouse Suppressed by the Police

LONDON, Jan. 7.—As the result of a disturbance at the Belmont workhouse Surrey which necessitated the calling in of the police Alfred White a stoker was charged at the local police court with refusing to perform his work and with breaking two panes.

Evidence was given to the effect that the prisoner walked into the dining hall in a very excited condition and made threats. The attitude of the other inmates became threatening and the witness found it necessary to telephone for the police.

A police inspector spoke of going to the workhouse with thirteen constables and finding about 400 men singing and shouting and creating a great disorder.

The prisoner was sentenced to three months hard labor.

One of the most unusual and amusing incidents of the election has been the voting by a four year-old boy for one of the candidates for the Biggleswade division of Bedfordshire. The boys name is Harold Sidney Walter Francis his father's name is Charles Francis but the name of Harold Sidney Walter Francis appeared on the register in mistake. The father protested strongly at this treatment so the authorities told him that his little boy would be allowed to vote instead. And the youngster was allowed to cast the vote that was properly the right of his father.

A Thackeray Centenary commemoration fund has been formed in Calcutta the city of the novelist's birth. Leonard Jennings has been commissioned to execute a marble bust of Thackeray to be placed in St. John's Church Calcutta where he was baptized January 1, 1811.

FIND OLD GALLEY

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 7.—A Turkish state galley 200 years old with seats for forty-eight rowers has been discovered in the disused part of the Yali Kiosk. The hull is richly gilt and inlaid with mother of pearl. It is proposed to preserve the ship in a museum.

Women Behind European Thrones

DOUBLE MURDER FOLLOWED BY 2 SUICIDES

Farmer Kills Niece and Child and Then Leaps to Death From Window.

PARIS, Jan. 7.—From London comes the story of an awful tragedy a double murder. The suicide of the assassin and the suicide of a man whose wife and daughter had been murdered. Jean Chanel a prosperous farmer who had lost his wife four months ago made a deed of gift by which he gave everything to his niece Mme. Aussenac who was in return to support his uncle and to give him proper attentions of this kind are quite usual in the country.

Mme. Aussenac with her husband and two daughters went to live at the farm and did all in their power to console the old man. By French law a deed of gift is irrevocable. He found out but if his niece and her daughters died he would become their heir. He was the owner of his farm again.

TRIES POISON

One night recently he tried to kill them by putting poison in their soup. Prompt medical aid baffled the poisoner but did not avail Chanel's design to commit murder. The rest of the house was off on a business trip at the time. It was right when Aussenac retraced his steps to the farmhouse and the door was locked. Aussenac banged at it and listened. At first he heard nothing then he heard his youngest daughter's voice call to him.

He could not get in at the ground floor

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PLURAL VOTING BILL TO BE ABOLISHED

Now Legally Possible for Man to Vote Four or Five Times.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—It is more than probable that the passage of plural voting will be abolished by the new parliament. Under the system it is possible for a man to legally vote four or five times.

How necessary it is for the government to abolish plural voting which operates so unfairly against Liberals is shown by the results of the elections in the county constituencies. An analysis of the polls in these divisions proves that but for the plural votes the Tories not only would not have gained a single seat but would have lost several. In the five seats won by them and in fifteen of the twenty five held on the polling which took place on December 7 and 8 the plural voters outnumbered the majorities enormously in many cases as the following statement clearly indicates:

	Tory Majority	Plural Voters
Newton	171	45
Melton	900	2650
Eskdale	370	2896
Altrincham	119	3331
Darwin	219	1443
Chipperham	56	1571
Dorset N.	92	1476
North Mid	32	42
Ipswich	7	608

LAMA ON VISIT

CALCUTTA, Jan. 7.—The Dalai Lama will leave Darjeeling on January 12 and proceed to Calcutta. After a stay at this city the Dalai Lama will probably leave India and pay visit to England.

WOMEN OBJECT TO SATURDAY HOLIDAY

Housewives Declare Husbands Spend Time and Money Away From Home.

ZURICH, Jan. 7.—Swiss housewives [illegible] that no Saturday half holiday [illegible] petitions [illegible] Saturday. Newspapers [illegible] and numerous [illegible] petitions have been signed [illegible] Saturday half holiday [illegible] withdrawn on the ground that [illegible] consented. Housewives [illegible] and [illegible] from home with [illegible] to [illegible] family life and to the family exchequer.

A petition points out that Sunday has always been a holiday in Switzerland and all [illegible] business [illegible] in the week [illegible] added [illegible] Sunday [illegible] and [illegible] closed [illegible] the local authorities [illegible] compulsorily close [illegible] shops [illegible] places of amusement [illegible] on the Sabbath. But in [illegible] free to [illegible] places in spite of the [illegible] objected to closed during divine service. But it is not the rule in the other cantons which in chief [illegible] and [illegible] impossible [illegible] will be [illegible] April.

As a general rule the Swiss people go to church on Sunday mornings and afterwards to their gardens and orchards go to a matinee in the theater and play at football or tennis. The Zurich firm is much perplexed concerning the women's petition and is inclined to grant it, for it feels itself in the wrong.

100 PRISONERS FLOGGED AT VOLOGDA

Lid Lifted and Terrible Scenes Revealed; Conspiracy Was Charged.

Mystery Shrouding Reported Suicide of Sazonoff Grows Deeper Every Day.

(By GEORGE FRASER.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 7.—Once in a while the lid is lifted and the outside public gets a glimpse of the horrors of the Russian prison system and the method of the Russian secret police. Several of the instances have recently become public. The newspapers the other day printed letters from some of the flogging of 100 prisoners in the Vologda jail because they complained of their food. It was stated that the prison physician resigned because he declared many of the prisoners were in no condition to undergo a flogging.

The prisons administration states that there was a conspiracy among the prisoners to rise en masse and that after the discovery of the plot the governor of the prison gave orders for corporal punishment to be administered to two convicts. As a protest against this three convicts severed an artery and three others took overdoses of morphia.

In consequence of further rioting fifty-five convicts were ordered to be chastened with rods. The minister of justice has ordered a strict inquiry into the whole affair.

SAZONOFF A SUICIDE

One of the prisoners who committed suicide was said to have been Sazonoff the man who was at the bottom of the plot to assassinate M. de Plehve.

Despite the official prison statements of Sazonoff's death friends deny that Sazonoff killed himself and still claim that he was murdered but escaped from Hotel after De Plehve's death.

M. de Plehve was killed in a St. Petersburg street by a bomb on July 8 1904. It is clear that the assassin was Sazonoff and that he was assisted by a certain Sikorsky. It is also known that a man who was found wounded at the time of the assassination was arrested.

MYSTERY DEEPENS

The mystery began to get deep when the police [illegible] to prove that Sazonoff was [illegible] really [illegible] and that [illegible] from [illegible] prisoners [illegible] [illegible] was [illegible] as [illegible] [illegible] were really [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

FEAR PLOT ON LIFE OF KING

Italy's Ruler's Hunt Is Declared Off; Telephone Line Stolen.

Leading Catholic Organ Says Cardinal Still Enjoys Confidence.

(By CLEMENT J BARRET

ROME Jan 7—A strand of telephone wire one-half mile long connecting the Quirinal and the Perziano Castle was stolen a few nights ago Hence the King will not be able to go hunting around the Perziano Castle The police claim that they could not guarantee the King's safety unless they had telephones at their disposal There are several theories floating about in connection with the so-called theft One is that the anarchists did it Another has it that practical jokers fiddled with the wire for the sake of a sensation Still another theory is that one of the servants made away with the wire so as to prevent the hunt which means work for royal servants who must toil day and night when the King entertains

While the theorizing has been going on no one has thought of ordering new wire to replace the stolen strand Half a dozen official reports on the subject have been submitted already.

ENJOYS CONFIDNECE

The Vaterland a leading Catholic organ published in Vienna declare that Cardinal Merry del Val enjoys the undiminished confidence of the Pope and that the only basis for the rumors of the impending resignation of the papal secretary of state is that several elder cardinals are taking more active part in the work of the secretariat

This, the Vaterland says is not a sign that the Pope's confidence in Cardinal Merry del Val has decreased but may be explained by the necessity of asking counsel with experienced men in view of the present difficulties of papal diplomacy

NEGOTIATES FOR MEAT

The municipality is negotiating with American packers for the importation of 6000 tons of Argentine meat early in 1911 The object is to compel the owering of the prices of fresh beef which is now selling at prohibitive prices There are people here who can afford to have meat only once a week others once a month

Contrary to the orders of his medical adviser the Pope insisted upon celebrating midnight mass on Christmas He said he had done so for fifty years ever since he became a priest Midnight mass begins a few minutes after 12 o'clock midnight The compromise was that he by holding the divine service in his room would do a great deal of good

Recently his household staff has sought to relieve him by doing much of his routine work He has complained of this saying that he could not bear to be idle for even an hour He often has said that an idle man is the most miserable of beings He insists upon writing letters that a clerk could easily attend t

DOUBLE MURDER FOLLOWS SUICIDE

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but the shutters were not closed up stairs He was an active man and climbed up the side of the house and got into his daughter's bedroom On the floor was Mrie Aussenac Her head was terribly battered On the bed lay the elder daughter with her throat cut and on the other bed the child of five lay moaning

QUARREL WAS FATAL

The old man who was 76 years old had gone out for a walk returned an hour before his niece's husband had returned home The rest of the story is told by the little grandniece who watched the murderer's blows He quarreled with Mme Aussenac He tried to put something in a medicine and the child and mother would not let him

Then he got angry and said mother had robbed him of his home Moller had been ironing when he came in and the iron was on the board He took it up, and he killed mother with it Alice and I cried and begged Uncle to spare us Alice was clinging around his knees and I was here and tried to get up and to run away but I could not Then uncle killed Alice with a knife

LEAPS FROM WINDOW

M Aussenac left the room to look for him Chan had found him with he came to the front door and had run up to the garret M Aussenac searched room after room—the garret last of all Just as he burst in there he heard a shout of savage triumph The window of the garret was open Aussenac ran to the window looked out and ran down stairs again

He unlocked the front door and there upon the stone in front of it he found the murderer Left the old man was dead had thrown himself out of the window Mme Aussenac lived long long enough to confirm her daughter's story

Next morning a villager found the body of M Aussenac in a pond He could not survive his wife's death and he had drowned himself leaving a letter which told the whole story

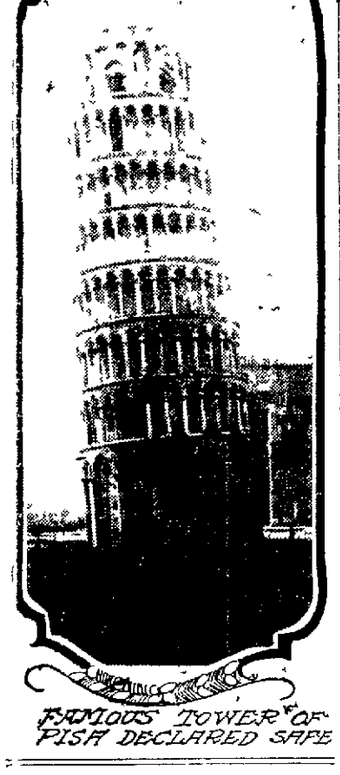
PROTESTANT PASTOR RECEIVES CONFESSION

MADRID Jan 7—A strange incident has occurred in a hospital at Huelva An American was dying and not being able to speak a word of Spanish made signs that he wished to receive the last sacrament Thinking he was a Protestant the authorities had a Church of England clergyman called in, but the dying man told him he was a Roman Catholic

Since no Catholic priest could be found who understood English the man made his confession and received absolution through the intermediary of the Protestant clergyman who acted as interpreter, and took an oath to observe strict secrecy regarding what he had heard

Pictures of Events Across the Ocean

SCENES DURING RECENT DISASTROUS FLOODS IN ENGLAND



FAMOUS TOWER OF PISA DECLARED SAFE

INCREASE NOTED IN DEMAND FOR BONDS

Healthy Increase Felt; High Class Securities Are Sought.

(By PRESTON C ADAMS)

NEW YORK Jan 7—One of the features of the opening of the year 1911 is a healthy increase in the demand for high class bonds This seems to be general in all classes of these securities there is in financial circles a general belief that this means a healthy normal progress without the financing incident to boom times Investors apparently are to open new ventures in the line of stock exhibition

There seems to be a disposition on the part of railroads and other great corporations to come into the market for loans for the legitimate extension of business when conditions are favorable This is certainly a good sign for if they were inconvenienced by the prospect for business were good they would be willing to accumulate idly to the end of large

IMPROVE METHODS

As a result of the self examination of methods which have been brought about by great industries of the country there is a tendency to improve methods so that labor cost may be reduced This has resulted in a considerable reduction in the number of employes in some lines And this is likely to be permanent While it will be hard on those directly affected in the future will be a real improvement to new conditions and a permanent reduction in the cost of production This is particularly true with the steel and allied industries and the railroads

J R Rowland who has been general manager of the Texas City Steamship company is now traffic manager of the Alabama Birmingham and Atlantic Railway Mr Rowland is a first class traffic man and he Atlanta Birmingham and Atlantic is to be congratulated in securing him

His many New York friends of T T Graham are glad to know that he does not contemplate retirement from active participation in railroad management because of his withdrawal from the presidency of the Illinois Central He will probably take a long rest before he gets back into harness

COPPER CONSUMPTION

The domestic consumption of copper in 1910 has been slightly larger than in 1909 but more than 10 per cent less than in 1907 which was the banner year for the metal companies wire drawers and brass founders In 1910 the consumption was estimated at 980 000 000 pounds

The consumption of copper has fallen very heavily in the last few months this aspect going hand in hand with iron trade and it is evident that some remedial measures are necessary

Stocks of unconsumed copper are greater today than a year ago the output is record breaking and consumption is less the so-called visible supplies in Europe being largely a farce

LEADS IN COTTON

Texas leads the cotton producing states with 3 140 000 bales of 500 pounds gross each with a value at 14 cents a pound, $220 500 000 Florida produces the highest selling cotton in the country Its yield of 55 000 bales is valued at 21 cents a pound The lowest yield is the 12 000 bales from California although Virginia is not much ahead of her with 13 000 bales

The fourteen cotton producing states in order of production in 1910 are Texas Georgia Alabama, Mississippi South Carolina Arkansas North Carolina Tennessee, Louisiana Florida Missouri, Virginia and California

BOYS CRUELLY BEATEN FOR ATTEMPTED ESCAPE

Reformatory at Mielschin Scene of Terrible Punishment; Naval Limitation in Reichstag

BERLIN Jan 7 Terrible punishments in the Boys' reformatory Mielschin are alleged against the director and eight subordinates They also accused of having whipped the boys and forcing upbeating them with stocks on the soles of the feet and knockups of placing chains on the wrists and ankles of boys suspected of attempting to escape and of chaining another youth in a cellar to bring fastened in the wall

On the table of the court here where the trial was held were several implements alleged to have been used in securing discipline in their establishment These included chains handcuffs and chains

The defense is that stern measures were necessary to keep the boys under control

NAVAL LIMITATION

Discussing naval limitation in the Reichstag recently the Imperial Chancellor said As regards our relations with England and alleged negotiations with that country on the subject of limiting naval armaments I wish to point out that it is I am sorry well known that the British government has repeatedly declared that an arrangement stipulating the strength of the navies of the several powers would establish continued onward consolidating international relations England has already expressed the idea at The Hague Conference Since then England has repeatedly referred again to the idea without however making propositions which could have been either positively accepted or rejected We likewise fall in with the desire shown by England of avoiding rivalry in regard to armaments

But in the informal fourparlers conducted in a friendly spirit we have always laid emphasis on the fundamental idea that an open exchange of views followed by an understanding on the mutual economical and political interests of the two countries would be the best means of removing any distrust arising from the comparative strength of their armies and navies The very continuance of relations assurance of ever greater confidence and friendly intentions prevailing on either side It may gradually remove the distrust which has made itself felt not between the governments but unhappily often in public opinion

UP TO STANDARD

Dr Wiemer (Radical) said that the army and navy must be kept up to the standard But this ought to be possible without an increase in the peace strength Those who wanted an understanding with England would do well not to say too much about it Limitation of armaments in agreement with other states would not be excluded by the self-evident condition that every state must determine the measure of its own armaments

Baron von Gamp (Imperial) asked Will do we question the need for our armaments Just go to Trafalgar Square Just go to the Labor party but to the deciding vote in England If it should refuse its naval demand then we may put this to come to an understanding Germany has shown in forty years of peace that she wants peace If Great Britain today takes a different view of the naval question we owe this only to the initiative of Admiral Tirpitz Secretary of State for the Navy The probability of it coming to a fight is as good as removed owing to the respect inspired by our fleet Likewise a good army is an unconditional necessity for the maintenance of peace

AUSTRIA SEEKS TO FORESTALL ITALY

Naval Program Not Being Carried Out to Help Germany.

(By EMIL ANDRASSY)

VIENNA Jan 7—Austria's naval program is being not with an idea of helping out Germany in any collision she may have with England but solely for the purpose of forestalling any attempt Italy may make to dominate the Adriatic and take Trieste This statement comes from high sources While both Italy and Austria are members of the Triple Alliance and are nominally at least friends the feeling is growing here that Rome aspires to be recognized as the mistress of the Adriatic and would welcome any shifting of the cards which would give her Trieste

Austria realizes that she must have a fleet equal to that of Italy if she is to hold her own This is the reason for the ambitious superdreadnaught program

COUNT JAILED

High play at rouge et noir in a London hotel has led to the arrest in Vienna of the young Count Gisbert Rolf Metternich who asked twenty four a nephew of the German Ambassador in London Count Metternich who is also secretary to a motor car theory three months ago married a favorite Viennese musical comedy actress

As he has been a Prussian subject he was transferred into the charge of the German police The charge against him is alleged complicity in a gambling swindle and is laid by a German artillery lieutenant stationed at Metz named Buckhaus

Lieutenant Buckhaus alleges that while on leave in London last summer he made the acquaintance of the count together with two other men Accompanied by his new friends Lieutenant Buckhaus visited the sights of London They dined at an hotel and after dinner played at rouge et noir using matches as counters

SCENTS PLOT

At first the lieutenant won It was then agreed he says that he and Count Metternich should hold the bank together they left $3 Lieutenant Buckhaus having no money to pay his share the count handed a cheque for the whole sum to their opponents Lieutenant Buckhaus knew little more of his companions and shortly afterwards returned to his garrison at Metz On receiving later an empathic request from Count Metternich for the repayment of the $1750 advanced to him he conceived certain suspicions and informed the police

It is stated that further allegations remain against Count Metternich—that he obtained a valuable pin on credit from a London jeweler by falsely representing himself to be a member of the German embassy and that he fraudulently withheld the proceeds of the sale of a house belonging to a lady in Berlin The count's own statement with reference to the rouge et noir affair is that both he and Lieutenant Buckhaus were duped as the other two players

DREAM IS AWKWARD

The dream of a Servian bishop has had some rather awkward consequences In a letter to a friend Bishop Nikandor of Nish said that he dreamed that a great revolution had taken place in Servia and that the streets ran with blood Finally Prince George remained master of the situation and became King of Servia The Nish papers published this letter and an agitation against the bishop was commenced in Belgrade and Nisch Finally the bishop was subjected to an examination resulting in his being not responsible for his actions He thereupon lost his position but in his own diocese a movement has been commenced for his reinstallation Demonstrations in favor of the bishop who enjoys great popularity are also being made

COLOR QUESTION IN SOUTH AFRICAN LAWS

CAPE TOWN Jan 7—In South Africa there is just now a recrudescence of the color question and in the Union Parliament a Dutch member has introduced an amendment to the marriage bill for bidding marriage between whites and colored persons The heads of the Anglican and Roman Catholic churches declare that if the amendment be carried they will nevertheless solemnize such marriages Other churches except the Dutch will probably act in a similar way The government is trying to kill the amendment but a large body of Dutch opinion demands the enactment of this restriction

The Dutch church is promoting a private bill to amalgamate the different sections of the church A feature of the bill is a clause enabling that colored people of the church in Cape Colony lose their membership if they migrate north of the Cape while colored people in the northern colonies will be ineligible for membership

'SPIRITUAL FLUID' WONDER-WORKER

"Doctor" Papus Declares in Court That He Makes the Blind See.

PARIS Jan 7—Prosecuted in a local court here for alleged illegal practice of medicine Doctor Papus a self styled wizard called many witnesses on his behalf who testified to the benefit they had derived from the potent spiritual fluid

One young woman said she had a paralyzed arm which was unsuccessfully treated by specialists and she was completely cured by the defendant who merely made a few passes over the diseased limb Another woman suffered from insomnia of the brain and was cured in twenty four hours An insane woman who was to be sent to an asylum recovered her reason when the faith healer made passes on her forehead A deaf mute was cited of a patient whose ear drum was broken and who now hears quite well after magnetic treatment A lady doctor called the blind to see plain the defendant

One voluble witness was vehement in defense of the faith healer What was your ailment? asked the judge Paralysis of the tongue' One would not think that Another patient urged the judge to free defendant's magic treatment The judge proceeded that he was quite willing Ah one never knows said witness shaking his head The wizard was held

BULL FIGHT IN STREET STARTS PANIC IN CITY

MADRID Jan 7—Casualties including three or four broken arms or less three persons injured and several slightly injured and about a dozen fainting fits suffered by women accompanied an impromptu bull fight which has taken place in the streets of Seville Three young bulls while being driven by herdsmen took to fight and the opportunity proving too good for the worthy Sevillians to lose a corrida was organized in the streets There was immediately a wild rush of men women and children to reach a position to advantage as the terrors made frenzied attempts to capture and subdue the novilles

After three hours confusion during which time the interest in the proceedings actually that at an ordinary arena the streets of the corrida was transferred to an open square the approaches to which were blocked by carts

BOSTON 'TROT' EXCITES LONDON

Most Freakish Dance Ever Becomes Craze at British Capital.

LONDON Jan 7 — The wave waltz and the "Boston trot" two popular American society dances have reached London and are being tried in high court circles The wave waltz is a variety of the old original Boston danced by Elisha Dyer man, years ago In Paris where the wave waltz created more or less of a furore for the sailors it became known as "The Vague

The chief part of the wave Waltz as described in M A P consists of a long wave like dip produced by a slow glide backward with a bent knee When the leg is straightened the double movement produces a slow dip like a wave It is a difficult dance for elderly ladies and spinsters whose joints are stiff and creaky but a pretty and supple person can find a delightful form of exercise therein

The Vague itself follows three beats of music and from there the original Boston step is performed twice The Vague is repeated also the step is then reversed the Vague commencing on the first beat in the music and the woman always goes backward The Boston is not an easy to do but once accomplished it has a fascinating swing of its own that sets it high above other Bostons

FREAKEST EVER

The Bowon Trot is regarded in London society as the freakest dance ever brought here from America It is a fast time waltz The man direct puts his partner backwards and the couple take eight brisk little steps round the room turning on the sixth so that the female partner goes backwards then the pair breaks into the original Boston step repeated twice very slowly Part time the woman dancer should be side ways facing the male Then she repeats eight quick steps sideways passing the foot behind and in front This ends the Boston Trot which takes up twenty four bars of music and is repeated as often as possible It is danced straight round and sideways There are the other variations of the Bostons Double Boston and the Poster Trot Step which last named is done to two bars music with the second stepping Finally there is the Judy Walk which Lordon society votes hold—the Dutch a prance and a waddle says our journal puts it

ON SHOOTING TRIP

CAIRO Jan 7—Lord Kitchener has left for Khartoum en route on a shooting trip to Uganda He will exercise jobs say by the middle of March He expressed great pleasure at the visit he has received from persons from all parts of Egypt who formerly served under him while he was Inspector of Police at Sirdar

VILLAGE FEUD LEADS TO TROUBLE

Many Outrages Follow Legal Battle on Charge of Slander.

Family of Two Brothers and Sister Lose Reason on Same Day

(By THOMAS EMMET)

DUBLIN Jan 7 The Redmond family, to which the Irish leader John Redmond belongs has had a distinction almost unparalleled in parliamentary history

William Archer Redmond who was elected for the representation of East Tyrone and later for Clare is the son of the leader of the Irish party He bears the name of his grandfather who for many years represented Wexford in parliament Already members of the family for three generations have sat in parliament—and for their native county of Wexford—namely John Redmond and his brother William Redmond their father and their great uncle

FEUD DEVELOPS

How a village feud brought about through the people taking sides over a dispute between a priest and a curate led to outrages was as told in the hearing of a slander action brought here by John Smith Patrick O'Reilly and others against a James Smith a Ballyhally farmer

The defendant was secretary of the Drung branch of the United Irish League

One of the plaintiffs acted as lookout on the occasions when the outrages included window breaking breaking into Catholic chapel hall hay burning and the destroying of plants The people in the parish took sides—some with the parish priest and some with the curate resulting in bitterness The defendant won the suit

THREE GO MAD

A family of two brothers and a sister named Kilcullen the eldest suddenly lost their reason the other day in Mayo The brothers were seen driving furiously through the streets of Ballina and the extraordinary behavior attracted the attention of the police who placed them under arrest

Their strange answers and conduct aroused suspicions and when a doctor was called in the two men were declared to be insane At the house miles away their sister became suddenly demented About the time that the brothers were arrested in the village the two men were removed to the asylum the same evening

A few days another brother became insane

OUTLINES SCHEME

Lord MacDonnell addressing the Historical Society of Trinity College recently outlined the scheme of devolution in which he said he had been concerned of Lord Dunraven

The proposed system had no parallel in our colonies It postulated the maintenance of an imperial parliament at Westminster to deal with Irish affairs assembly with legislative and administrative functions controlling the executive and dealing with purely Irish matters and the establishment of an Irish treasury furnished with funds in the manner indicated in the Irish councils bill the continuance of the Irish contribution for imperial purchase responsibility for existing land and the reasonable financial recognition of the conclusions of the financial commission on financial relations

NOTHING TO GAIN

From tariff reform Ireland had nothing to gain but to lose He showed his men would not tax their diets to provide revenue for legislative and administrative control which would be able them to manage the domestic affairs of Ireland free from English official meddling

The Irish people had been willing to live as subjects to the King if only they were allowed to live happily Any one objected to being governed by a foreign legislature which had demonstrated its animosity to Irish people and its unfitness to govern them Foreign officials They resented the coming of men who never saw Ireland and had no interest in it such men as Carleton Bellingwe Nevinson and Kipling attacked their camp at night They were driven off by means of a barrier and rifle shots The carcass of the ox which they had killed was poisoned Next morning five full grown lions were found dead within thirty yards of the camp An hour after the Rev Gibson Cragg shot a fine male lion within half mile of the camp The following night a number was poisoned making seven in all—four males and three females

4 474,000 IN AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY N S W Jan 7—An advance estimate of the population of the Australian commonwealth puts the total number of people in the six states at 4 600 000 and allowing for increase before the census is taken next year there should then be a total of 4 650 000 which would represent an increase during the past ten years of about 725 000 or 19 per cent.

DUTCH NEUTRALITY DEMANDED OF HAGUE

THE HAGUE Jan 7—The Dutch government has published extract from the secret report on national defenses in which it declares that the system of defense must give complete guarantees for the maintenance of Dutch neutrality

The fortifications of Ivel are to be modernized those of the mouth of the Maas at Helder and of the Nieuwe Diep are to be supplemented by works of the highest class at Flushing The total cost of the scheme is estimated at about $6 000 000

FIVE LIONS POISONED BY OX THEY KILLED

CAPE TOWN Jan 7 While Major Campbell and the Rev Carleton of Irzia were visiting the native Reserve a troop of lions attacked their camp at night They were driven off by means of a barrier and rifle shots The carcass of the ox which they had killed was poisoned Next morning five full grown lions were found dead within thirty yards of the camp An hour after the Rev Gibson Cragg shot a fine male lion within half mile of the camp The following night a number was poisoned making seven in all—four males and three females

QUEEN RAISES WHIRLWIND IN NORWAY

Seven-Year-Old Prince Poses for Picture of Divine Child.

Ruler Criticized for Allowing it; Score Poisoned by "Loco" Weed.

(By ERIC GRUNDMARK)

COPENHAGEN Jan 7—A tempest in a tea pot has been caused in Norway by Queen Maud Her majesty who is devotedly attached to her seven year old son Prince Olaf In order to help a local charity issued a beautifully decorated Christmas card illustrated with pictures of the little prince

While the Norwegians are very fond of the baby prince they are also very religious and some of the pictures in connection with the card come pretty near the line of being sacrilegious to their minds placing the prince on the place of the divine tiff whose birthday is celebrated on Christmas Hence the action of the queen is being severely criticised in some quarters

REMAPKABLE SUIT

Much interest is felt in a remarkable lawsuit which is set for trial here next week Among the witnesses summoned are the ex empress the Dowager Queen Sophia of Sweden and Queen Louise of Denmark who is born a Swedish princess and Prince Carl and Eugene The testimony of these royal personages will appear in court is not believed

The plaintiff is the heirs of Hilga de Frasch who died in 1888 In her will she made this remarkable declaration

My parents were King Gustavus IV of Sweden and his consort Princess Frederike of Baden This statement is to be proved by four letters which I deposited with the then Crown Prince Oscar the late King of Sweden

It is for the purpose of proving the existence and contents of these letters that the present witnesses are called

If the supreme court refuses to interfere, declaring that the expediency of the queens and princes testifying or not is for them to say how will that the case will be settled out of court

VISITS VIENNA

The King of Denmark has been staying for a week at Vienna on private business in quiet incognito and he has paid visits to the Duke and Duchess of Cumberland at their country seat Gmunden King Frederick may very likely visit Frankfort on Paris on his way back to Copenhagen His mother travels as Countess Rosenberg and he is attended by one servant

Prince Waldemar the youngest brother of Queen Alexandra is going to Ireland shortly on a visit to Lord Ardilaun at Stringtown Park and will probably be accompanied by his daughter Princess Margarethe Sophie Waldemar Caroline Alexandrine Thyra Ingeborg Dagmar Louise Charlotte Waldemar granddaughter of the late Charles

SCORE LOCOED

The last issue of a medical journal a Munich man in an article describing the strange effects with the intoxicating effect of hemp by guests at a boarding house at Davos was reopened.

The doctor says that 25 visitors and servants were also forcemeat for dinner with which he had mixed all were affected

A Russian lady who spoke German fluently found that language an English woman wanted to talk everybody her language one woman she herself a Hungarian spoke another and Americans insisted on speaking for an hour but lost and several women could not stop talking One woman ran to the telephone and put her tongue out the receiver as though exhibiting it to a doctor A penal servitude plea the waiter bolted in when he heard those of the visitors All the visitors insisted upon talking impressively at once while another set for the first time in history was in progress The proprietor of the boarding house called a truce of soup in the ball room and completed the liquid on the plan A doctor was sent for and explained how the hall had been poisoned by hemp This affected the landlord all the patients recovered after treatment

POLICE HOAXED BY CLEVER 'AD'

Rich Woman Wanted Husband and Got Several of Them.

PARIS Jan 7 There is much laughter on the Paris streets about a hoax that has worked off on a number of innocent people and on the police Among the persons deceived was the fair sporting heiress Mme Marie Lehaut a husband of the Imperatrice and also on many gentlemen who were desirous of marrying a rich woman

Naturally there were scores of applicants and each applicant was shown a certain café at a certain hour and to wear a white rose for identification At the same time the police were warned by letter that a certain Polish demonstration was planned for the afternoon in question

Crowds of curious and the police gathered at the café awaiting the signal which was to be the general confusion and fighting Soon the situation was complicated by the appearance on the fringe of the crowd of many men who were victims of a practical joke having Polish

The police were waiting the scene for signs of a plot against the Republic When they realized what this was united to they also departed with broad grins.

CONSUMERS FORM LEAGUE IN PARIS

Weary of Oppression and Exploitation, Ultimate Buyer Takes Hard.

The State Tobacco Monopoly Finds it Necessary to Advertise Goods.

(By GEORGE DUFRESNE.)

PARIS Jan 7 — Simultaneously with the new year a most interesting league was born here

It is called The League of the Paris Consumers and it means business In three days it has attained seven thousand members University professors politicians and property owners are amongst those joining the new league the main object of which is to protect the unfortunate consumer from the abuses of which he is the victim

It is pointed out that up until now the consumer has remained isolated and therefore powerless He has submitted with angelic patience to the increase in the cost of living to the strikes in the public services and to the increases in salaries But he is now weary of being oppressed and exploited and intends to make his voice heard

The idea of the league was first suggested by M Gide a professor in the Faculty of Law who considered that the time was ripe to create a vast association which should defend individual interests The League of Consumers will seek to bring pressure on public authorities and take immediate action when the prices of articles of food are unjustifiably increased

NEEDS ADVERTISING

The Regie which is another name for the State tobacco monopoly has found it necessary to advertise its goods This step has been taken on account of the liability given to foreign cigars and cigarettes in the State tobacco shops Outside the shops a ominous sign informs the passersby that foreign tobacco can be had within Inside these foreign goods are displayed everywhere the cigars of French manufacture being relegated to some dark corner The result is that the French products are not getting a chance

But all this will be changed The Regie is going to take up advertising A catalogue is in course of preparation In it will be described the different kinds of cigars and cigarettes turned out by the State Much is expected from this catalogue But the Regie will have to take care not to defeat its object There has long been complaints of delays in furnishing supplies What is the good of smokers being attracted to a certain cigar or cigarette through an advertisement if the client get it when they ask for it?

MAIL BY AEROPLANE

Convinced of the great usefulness of aeroplanes not only in war but also as a means of communication in peace, the French colonial minister is about to spend $80 000 for experiments with Blerlot monoplanes in the French colonies and before the end of the year mails may be delivered regularly by aeroplanes in French and West Africa

The aeroplanes are to leave here in about a week and the erection of post hangars will be undertaken at once

When the Chamber meets again the minister will ask for a grant of $100 000 to be spent during 1912 in establishing an aerial postal delivery service in Indo China in case the West African experiment proves successful

POSTPONE DEBATE

By postponing the debate on the French naval estimates for the coming financial year until the Chamber resumes again Vice Admiral Beaumont de Lapeyrere the Undersecretary of the Navy has gained the time to prepare some very important and interesting declarations The Secretary has a naval program which will add immensely to the strength of the French navy already expanded by M Briand It tends to make the whole political existence of the cabinet depend on its reception by the Chamber and Senate

The Prime Minister is also entirely persuaded of the imperative necessity of at least eight new Dreadnoughts At present two are being constructed with the utmost rapidity the Jean Bart and Kreber and the Courbet at Lorient Three are of 23 500 tons each and the form the model of ironclads to come In fact when parliament voted the credits for them it was understood that the warships were an instalment of the program I do not think that in the present parliament and with a Prime Minister in the force of M Briand opposition to the scheme will have an chance of success

REVOLUTIONIZE WIRELESS

From Italy comes the news that Professor Felice Iacovello of the University of Parma has invented a system which will completely revolutionize wireless telegraphy and transmission of electrical force

Though difficult to explain in simple language it may be stated that the appliance is constructed with the object of transforming ordinary electric currents into Hertzian waves and experiment has proved that a power of an appliance will transform 90 per cent of any current It consists of an apparatus which two tubes of metal vary according to the force of the current to be transformed as is told by the motion prints Currents varying strength from fifty thousand to one million two hundred thousand volts have been successfully transformed

The most interesting part of the invention is a strong stream of ordinary coal gas that is forced through the two metal tubes of the apparatus and it is through the molecules of the gas that the waves move in the same direction as the inherent electrons or electrical particles are The stream of ordinary coal gas serves to make the production of waves possible and to render the appliance charging and discharging many thousands per second Inductance and condensers thus producing Hertzian continuity

TRANSFORMED POWER

The chief advantages of this new appliance are that it utilizes a much higher percentage of the transformed electric energy than before and permits the use of electrostatic condensers only one twentieth of the size of those ordinarily employed

The first experiments with the new were made on November 17 at the Arsenal of Spezia The wireless telegraph station at Venice on the other coast of Italy to which the Hertzian waves were directed by the Iacovello instrument picked up immediately that the signals had traveled with an extraordinary force and clearness The length of the waves generated by the new system is said to be at present two thousand miles The strength of the appliance can be judges from the fact that steel plates of armor and other metals rapidly melt in the neighborhood of the apparatus Electric furnaces can now be constructed more simply and much more cheaply than before For purposes of lighting the electric rays are said to be of a violet tinge and when extracted yield a bright light when placed in the path of the Hertzian waves

The railway station square of Parma will shortly be lighted in this manner

Women They Speak Of Over the Pond

DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND

BIANCA FROELICH

MRS ERNEST DRUNKELL

LATEST PHOTO OF SARAH BERNHARDT

MRS JOHN WALKER FEARN

MYSTERY SHROUDS MURDER OF WOMAN

Wealthy Berlin Woman Killed in Flat; the Police Follow Clews.

BERLIN Jan 7—The mystery surrounding the strange murder of Mme Hoffmann a wealthy widow 68 years of age is monopolizing public attention at present

Mme Hoffmann who inherited a large fortune from her husband was closely related to several high government officials and occupied a prominent position in Berlin society She lived alone in a small flat

Curiously enough owing to the fact of being murdered, Mme Hoffmann refused to engage a companion or servant declaring that an elderly helpless lady was easily killed by unscrupulous domestics

Mme Hoffmann who went out every night visiting a theater on the night of December 6 accompanied by a warm friend The next morning the charwoman entered the flat as usual This was the last time that Mme Hoffmann was seen alive

CRIES ARE HEARD

About two weeks later the occupant of the flat immediately beneath the flat occupied by Mme Hoffmann heard continuous screams and calls for help these the words I don't want to die I want to live yet These words were followed by heavy thump and then heavy footsteps

The neighbors who were through alarm rushed to the concierge who summoned a policeman from the street The entire party went upstairs to Mme Hoffmann's flat Hearing sounds within the policeman knocked at the door

After the cries and reply but final persistent kneeling produced the response I was ill but in feeling better shall not open the door

The concierge decided that the voice was that of Mme Hoffmann but it was strange and somewhat muffled The policeman was not satisfied and proceeded to force the door The moment the door was opened another door inside the flat leading into the room behind it was hastily locked

When the policeman promptly forced his door he person within the room retreated to another apartment and locked the door When the police door was forced the fugitive escaped through a back door down the backstairs and has not been traced

FIND NO CLEW

After an attempted pursuit which proved fruitless the policeman with the concierge and three neighbors proceeded to examine the flat They were no suspicions signs but the search included the Mme Hoffmann must have become terribly disturbed and fled from her home in a confusion The policeman locked the flat and departed

A few days later intelligence arrived from relatives to visit her and began to storm at her remarkable flight from her home

Further search revealed the following letter addressed to the police

"I am more sensible than the rest of my relations who informed the authorities when I went to Italy Am searching all the locks of the house relative and the wife of the concierge were about to leave upon without discovering anything when the latter thought that the appearance of the bed was unusual

She pulled back the quilt and found Mme Hoffmann's body wrapped in the bedclothes

The police are following several clews which lead to the conclusion that the perpetrator of this atrocious crime must have been a woman intimately acquainted with Mme Hoffmann

ALSACE-LORRAINE GLOWERING AT CONSTITUTION, BRANDED SHAM

Herr Von Bethamn Hofweg's Document Makes Him No Friends in Section He Desired to Win Over

(By FREDERICK WERNER)

BERLIN Jan 7 —If Herr von Bethamn Holweg hopes that the constitution which he has just granted to the annexed French provinces Alsace Lorraine is going to win much needed friends for him in that part of the German empire or praise from France or the German Liberal party he is evidently greatly mistaken To the people of Alsace Lorraine who had hoped for a real not a sham constitution the gift is a great disappointment because it does not go far enough and here in Prussia it is regarded only bitterly because it grants to the people of the annexed Alt Germania provinces greater freedom than loyal Prussian subjects are now enjoying

What makes the home rule proposition more interesting than anything else is that its second chamber which consists of 60 members of whom half are named by the Kaiser explicitly gives an intimation of what this government considers a model senate The other 18 members of the Alsatian upper house will consist of the heads of the municipalities the Protestant and Roman Catholic bishops and four representatives elected by the councils of the four largest cities in the Reichsland Strassburg Metz Kolmar and Muelhausen of three representatives of the chambers of commerce three many from the chiefs of the nobility and one each from Strassburg University and the Strassburg chamber of trade and last of the president of the central law court

REICHSTAG SUFFRAGE

As for methods of election to the popular chamber they probably vary the lines in which Prussia will attempt to revise the latter's suffrage Manhood suffrage of persons of 25 years and those receiving $ 400 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 200 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 100 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 50 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 25 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 12 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 6 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 3 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 1 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.50 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.25 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.12 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.06 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.03 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.01 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.005 and those of 30 years and those receiving $ 0.0025 and those of 30 years 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MACDONOUGH.

Mary Manne-ing, who will come to the Macdonough Theater for two nights only, January 11 and 12, says that if she married again she would pity her husband.

"Yes, that's the truth," states Miss Mannering. "If I were to marry now I should expect my husband to be so perfect that it would be impossible for him to live up to the picture. He would have to be supplied with a number of qualities that I would never have asked for in my youth. I should better realize his advantages and I am afraid would be something of a tyrant.

"One thing is quite certain, men growing up nowadays will have to be mighty careful, or they won't be able to marry. Why, of course not. Do you think a woman who has been about the world, who knows the good and the bad side of life, and who makes enough money to live comfortably on her income, is going to throw herself away on a man. No indeed, women are becoming more and more particular, and if a woman makes up her mind to marry the first ascertains that the man she loves is all that she expects of him.

"Now that women are going around in the world earning their own living, they don't have to marry for their bread and butter, and consequently are becoming very particular.

"The girl of a few years ago could not make the same demands as she can today. Or, rather, she might have made them, but nobody would have paid any attention to her. They would have said she didn't know what she was talking about, and told her to attend to matters more in her own line. Why, I know myself, when I married, I was only 18 years old, and although I loved my husband and felt sure that he was all that I expected of him, I could not have set the same standard I would now set if I should marry again, which I suppose I never will.

"'A Man's World' is a wonderful play, I think, and certainly proves that a woman is very much to be pitied if she doesn't take good care of herself. Every woman should be trained to do that, and even if I were a millionaire many times over, I should have my baby learn to be independent."

MINSTRELS COMING

Manager H. H. Campbell of the Macdonough Theater takes pleasure in announcing that he has secured Richards & Pringle's famous minstrels for four performances, opening January 14.

This famous band of Funsters, like wine, appears to improve with age. For thirty years they have kept the whole world laughing, and, like Tennyson's "Brook," bid fair to "go on forever."

The beautiful new first part, the palace of revelry, is a dream of splendor and a feast for the eye. Extravagant adjectives do but slight justice to the scenic painters' art. This, together with the lighting effects and beautiful and expensive satin and silk costumes and settings form a picture not soon to be forgotten, and represents an outlay of money that would stagger a minor attraction. The singing portion of the program is under a competent instructor and you will hear the songs of the Southland sung with a spirit and fidelity true to the ante-bellum days.

But the good things do not end here. There are seven big vaudeville acts, two of which have never appeared with minstrel company before.

There will be a parade at noon on January 14, and also a free band concert by the best minstrel band in the world, at 7:30 o'clock in front of the theater.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

"The Dollar Princess" is well supplied with comedians, each of whom seems the funniest fellow you ever saw—until the next one comes on the stage. The merry smiles kept the big audience in a gale of laughter till the rafters rang at the Knickerbocker Theater during its ten months run there last season.

The music of "The Dollar Princess," composed by Leo Fall, which comes to the Macdonough Theater, is almost worthy of a place in the realm of grand opera. The lyrics are extremely graceful and melodious, and "The Dollar Princess" waltz is fast becoming recognized as the successor of the famous "Merry Widow Waltz." Not only is the score of superior merit, but the orchestration has been as carefully worked out as for a Wagnerian opera. The result is a delightful concert.

Miss Maxine Elliott, who has not been seen in some seasons, comes to the Macdonough Theater in "The Inferior Sex," the jolly nautical comedy from the pen of Frank Stayton, with which she captivated New York theatregoers at Daly's Theater last winter and spring. Miss Elliott, who is the only woman in the cast, will have practically the same supporting company which was with her in New York, and identically the same production, which shows the cabin and deck of a luxuriously appointed yacht and which is especially lavish.

SENSATION COMING.

"The Queen of the Moulin Rouge," the title of the musical comedy which set Broadway aflame with enthusiasm and stirred the critics of the city is rather a misnomer. So much has been written about it that further words are almost useless. However, a few sentences to correct a popular misapprehension, doubtless caused by its suggestive title, will be worth while. That it is chic, bizarre and inspiring, is frankly admitted. That it has dash, harmless transiency, effervescence is cordially granted. That it is not risque, low in moral tone or offensive to the modest eyes and ears in whose direction it appears at the Macdonough theater, commencing today. The most defensible thing about "The Queen of the Moulin Rouge" is the abundance of song hits and its pretty and vivacious dancing stunts. Parisian costumes, always a delight, are a notable feature. The production is elaborate and the presenting company is unusually large, requiring a special train of five cars for transportation.

YE LIBERTY.

For the week commencing tomorrow evening the stock players will offer the initial local presentation of one of the most remarkable dramatic hits of the past several seasons, "Samson," another play from the pen of the brilliant Henri Bernstein, whose earlier success, "The Thief," proved him to be one of the greatest living dramatists. This new play is said to be much stronger than the latter piece, and judging from the manner in which it was received in New York when played there originally by William Gillette and later by James K. Hackett, it is certainly a play far above the ordinary.

The story of "Samson" is one of great strength, and an idea of the acting opportunities it affords at evenly balanced scene's company like the Bishop players can be gained from the following brief synopsis. "Samson" is Maurice Brachard, a self-made multi-millionaire financier of Paris, who has earned the title by the power his money and methods have given him. His wife is Anne-Marie, daughter of the Marquis D'Andeline, who had accepted him as a son-in-law for his wealth alone. Finding that he is paying more attention to money-getting than to his home, the wife engages in an intrigue with Jeanne Le Govain, prompted thereto not by love of him, but by the need of distraction this man-about-town who has been made by her husband's generosity could provide for her.

Brachard discovers the intrigue and plans revenge, for Le Govain's fortune is invested entirely in copper stocks which Brachard controls. He invites Le Govain to the home he has provided for himself at a downtown hotel and forcibly detains the frantic man while newsboys are shouting the news of the great crash in copper stocks in which both are going down to utter ruin. For this modern Samson, in order to reduce to poverty the man who has disturbed the happiness of his home, sacrifices every penny of his own fortune. Then love for this strong husband who had sacrificed all for her, and who because he is now poor as his former associates despise, is kindled in the heart of Anne-Marie, and they are reconciled.

The cast to be seen in this great play at Ye Liberty next week is one that is certain to do it full justice. Sydney Ayres will be seen in the title role, and Miss Muriel Hope as Anne-Marie and both are ideally suited to their respective parts in every way. Henry Shumer appears as the Marquis, Mrs. Gleason as his wife and James Gleason as their dissipated son. Andrew Bennison has an excellent role in Le Govain, and George Friend, Walter Whipple, Maribel Seymour and Catharine Calhoun will have the remainder of the more important roles.

"Samson" will be given at the Liberty for next week only, with the usual Saturday and Sunday matinee performances, and will be followed by "Bab," the farce comedy which ran all last season at Daly's Theater, New York.

Mme. Gerville-Reache, the possessor of the most beautiful contralto voice in the whole world and one of the greatest artists now before the public, will appear at Ye Liberty playhouse next Wednesday afternoon, January 11, at 3:30, offering one of the best and most varied programs of song ever heard in one afternoon.

This artist, who has appeared with Tetrazzini in New York and London, has, like the great soprano, the faculty of winning the hearts of her audiences, and Manager Will Greenbaum predicts that the name of Gerville-Reache will be added to the list of favorites who are always sure of a welcome whenever they may choose to return to us.

The program to be given on this occasion contains no less than six great operatic numbers besides beautiful "lieder" in German, French and English. Here is the exceptional offering in its entirety:

(a) "J'ai perdu mon Eurydice"...Gluck
(Orphee et Eurydice.)
(b) "Mon coeur s'ouvre a ta voix"...
..... Saint-Saens
(Samson and Delilah.)
(a) Aufenthalt ..... Schubert
(b) Ich grolle nicht ..... Schumann
(a) Aria de la Cieca ..... Ponchielli
(La Gioconda.)
(b) Mattinata ..... Parelli
(a) Hindu Slumber Song..Harriet Ware
(b) Kathleen Mavourneen.....Crouch
(c) The Rosary ..... Nevin
(a) "Les Larmes" (Werther)..Massenet
(b) L'Anneau d'argent ... Chaminade
(c) Chanson Slave ..... Chaminade
(d) Connais tu le pays? (Mignon)...
..... A. Thomas
(e) Viens avec nous petit (La Vivandiere ..... Godard

Seats will be ready at Ye Liberty box office on Monday morning and prices will be $1, $1.50 and $2.

Jarislav Kocian, the Bohemian violin virtuoso, will be the next musical attraction, the date being Friday afternoon, January 20.

ORPHEUM.

The great Orpheum Road Show, whose annual visit to the Oakland Orpheum is the theatrical event of the year, will appear this afternoon beginning an engagement that is expected to be memorable in every way. There is always a tremendous crush during the Road Show week, the business invariably being of the "standing room" variety at every performance, with hundreds turned away. The management announces that the advance sale this year is very large, news of the Road Show's tremendous success in San Francisco having preceded it here.

The twin brothers Rigoletto, Charles and Henry, who come with the Orpheum Road Show, have proved an immense sensation in Europe. Not since the appearance of Sylvester Shaefer at the Alhambra theater, in London, four years ago, has there been a performance as versatile, unique and interesting as theirs. Their offering is divided into eight parts, each entirely distinct and in every one they attain perfection. They excel equally as instrumentalists as jugglers, as Chinese magicians, as mimics, as illusionists, in plastic poses, as acrobats and as aerial gymnasts.

La Pia, who makes her first appearance here at today's matinee, comes direct from the Palace theater, London, where she was playing a sensationally successful engagement when seen and engaged by Martin Beck for this season's Orpheum Road Show. She is a girl of extraordinary beauty of face and form, and she presents four varied dances, the effect of which is heightened by elaborate scenic, electrical and emotional effects. Her most brilliant performance is her last dance, "The Spirit of the Wave," and in it she manifests the greatest originality. The stage seems to be transformed into a raging sea and the breakers are seen to hurl themselves angrily against the shore. In the midst of storm-tossed waves La Pia appears and with frightened expressions tries to reach a place of safety. A spray of the roaring ocean she is thrown back and forth now covered over, then soaring on the crest of a wave, until at last she is swallowed up by the angry sea.

Howard, Scotland's premier ventriloquist, who is said to excel every other ventriloquist abroad, will be one of the chief features.

Mae Melville and Robert Higgins, eccentric character singing comedians, will reappear next week at the Orpheum after quite an absence. Their skit is entitled "Just a Little Fun" and the immense popularity they enjoy will make it a cordial reception.

Charles B. Lawlor and his two clever daughters, who appear in a medley of songs and dances, with comedy trimmings, that are all certain to please immensely.

Charles Leonard Fletcher with a fine company of players, will appear in the dramatic sketch "His Nerve." This splendid sketch is splendidly played and Mr. Fletcher will demonstrate beyond a doubt his good place on the Orpheum Road Show list. There is a humorous vein imbedded in the Rigoletto Brothers, and this vein is by Percival Knight. Knight is to be seen in that genre of the show.

Wellington Cross and Lois Josephine will present the latest of the latter's sketch "Going to Art" a song and dance humorist of splendid excellence. Joe Jackson, an animated cartoonist who draws as he talks about Grand Europe at the Orpheum, completes will round out the big bill. There will be special motion pictures.

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BEARISH TWANG IN WHEAT PIT TODAY

Much of the Buying Was for Houses On Advances Yesterday.

CHICAGO, Jan 7—Cheap Australian and Argentine offers at Liverpool had a bearish effect today on the wheat market here Local longs unloaded quite freely. Good support however, developed at shade under $1 Considerable of the buying was for houses on the advances of yesterday Trade was of fairly large proportions Prices opened ¼@¾c lower May started at $1 00¼, a loss of ⅝c to ¾c touched 99⅞c@$1 and rallied to $1 00¼@1 00⅝.

Later the demand for wheat slackened and the pressure increased The close, however, was firm with May at $1 00⅝@1 00¾, a net loss of ⅛@¼c

Corn turned strong after an easy period at the outset The reason for the change was a dispatch asserting that unless there was a rain at once in the Argentine Republic, that country would not harvest half an ordinary crop May opened ⅜@⅝c off at 49⅝c to 49¾c, sold at 49¾c and then advanced to 49⅞@49⅝c

Predictions of lighter receipts helped keep the corn market firm The close was ⅛c net higher at 49¾c for May

Cash corn—No 2 and No 2 white, 43½@46¾c No 2 yellow 46¾@47c No 3 45@45½c No 2 white 47½@46⅝c, No 3 yellow 46¾@47½c No 4 44½@44¾c, No 4 white and No 4 yellow 44@44½c

A general rush of sales carried down on a for a while, but there was a reaction with corn May started ¾@⅞c lower at 34⅝@34½ and rallied to 34⅝@34¾c

Advance in hog prices gave a firm tone to provisions First sales were 5c to 22½c higher with May options at $10 20@10 25 for pork $9 92½ to $10 3? for lard and $10 70 to $11 17½ for ribs

The closing quotations were as follows

Wheat—May, $1 00⅝@1 00¾; July, 96c September 94⅛c

Corn—May 49¾c, July 50½@50⅝c, September 51½@51⅝c

Oats—May, 34⅝c July, 34⅜@34⅝c September 33¼@33⅝c

Pork—January $9 30 May $10 20

Lard—January $10 67½ May $ 0 12½

Ribs—January $10 70 May $10 12½ to $10 75 July $10 07½

Rye—Cash 8 @9c

Barley—Cash 60@79c

Timothy—Cash $8@ 17

Clover—Cash $10@10 45

LIVERPOOL Jan 7 —Broomhall says The wheat market showed a fairly firm under one at the immediate start with offerings light stimulated by the unexpected firmness in American markets yesterday and values were 1d to 2d higher Following the opening the rise was further Light covering by shorts on the expected light world's shipments and the decrease in the visible here later and during the remainder of the morning the market was under ultimate pressure and prices declined ¾d to 1d from the opening Pressure was due to cheaper Australian and Argentine offers very poor demand from mills weakness in spot favorable reports from Roumania and India and less demand from the continent At the close the market was weak and 1d lower than yesterday The corn market was quiet at the start and in hand 1 to ¾d higher Following the opening there was an additional advance of ¼d which the undertone held There was a smaller demand for forward shipment but there were offset by the unfavorable outlook in Argentine and influenced entirely covering by January shorts

CHICAGO Jan 7—The Inter Ocean says That wheat is to come out of the Armour Fisher interests is confirmed in the opinion of speculators who have watched the course of the market closely It was the belief among traders last night that the bull leaders would put the price high enough to unload all their wheat in a hurried and in the absence of forced buying it would not be surprising It was the consensus of opinion that the big set Lough trader who sold the May future at Rockford as well as those who covered the last sale that day through Warner The latter's buying from 99½c to $1 for May carried the bull element off their feet and stampeded shorts to buy $1 Messages sent out by the Armour people's company claimed that the government had overestimated the winter crop 40 000 bushels that domestic conditions are fundamentally bullish that there are over 90 000 000 people in the United States and in unusually prosperous circumstances to use all their wheat and that all reports agree with these statements and show that the movement of the crop and supplies show differently Traders said that the interest was powerful enough to force all shorts to cover at higher prices and to entice many outside buyers to the pit It is believed that there is a scarcity of wheat if it is pressed before the end

It was right to say under last night the corn trade had a decidedly bullish tone It will strike a conservative There was a big selling of the market by those who sold anything about the top A number of country lots were sold to the trade at 40c in Illinois and they sold it to the Armour interests and others Reports received by the latter people from the country that the farmers were not ready to let the bull in the corn crop realize it the bull leaders say that the people here on the break and it does sell that the interest is in control and that anything with be right about

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Shamrock	1	
Shasta	1	
Sovereign	1	
Stanislaus	1	
Superior	1	
Sunset Crude	1	
Sunset-Midway	1	
Thirty-three	1	
Twenty-eight	1	
Union Oil	1	
Wabash	1	
Wolverine	1	
Yukon	1	
SALES		
200 Claremont	1 10	Palmer	1 10
200 Do	1 11	Do	1 10
1000 Consolidated Midway	1	Petroleum	1
100 Monte Cristo	2	Reed Crude	1
100 Do	2	Union Oil	1
1000 Lakeview Extension	1		

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS

NEW YORK Jan 7 Corporation directors' election changes made against District Attorney Charles S Whitman

Justice Blackmar in Brooklyn court decides the second second streets illegally

President Taft refuses pardon for Hartwell, wealthy Alabama lumber man convicted of peonage

Attorney General Wickersham in his brief filed with the Supreme Court says Standard Oil company is entirely within range of Sherman act

Harriman lines place orders for 100 freight locomotives approximately $4 000 000

Government will oppose Minnesota Rate Case Congressman Sherman act and Wilson act of 1894

Legislative graft investigation hearings end

Harriman lines show best year in their history

Banks gained $7 000 000 during week's currency movement

Consolidated Gas earnings for year estimated about 8 per cent for dividends

Bradstreet's weekly review exports show healthy increase

Two industrials advanced 10 twenty active railroads advanced 1?

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO Jan 7—Cattle receipts estimated 400 market steady beeves $4 @7 25 Texas steers $4 25 Western steers $4 30@6 20 stockers and feeders $3 70@5 60 cows and heifers $2 50@6 80 calves $5

Hogs Receipts estimated at 22 000 market 5c to 10c higher Light $7 95@8 10 mixed $7 85@8 05 heavy $7 80@8 20 rough $7 80@7 95 to choice heavy $8 07½@8 20 pigs $7 00@8 10 bulk of sales $8 01

Sheep Receipts estimated at 2000 market steady native $2 60@4 50 Western $3 @4 60 yearlings $4 70@5 90 lambs native $4 @6 50 Western $5 @6 75

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—Wheat—Firm no trading cash $1 06@1 12½

Barley—Firm May $1 05 December $1 03¾ cash $1 04@1 13¾

Corn—Nominal Western State $1 [illegible]

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET

PORTLAND, Or Jan 7—Wheat track prices)—Club 81@82c bluestem 83@84c red Russian 80c valley, 82c forty fold 82@83c

ACTIVE SELLING IS ORDER ON CHANGE

Reading Sold 8000 Shares Under Yesterday's Price; U. S. Steel Reduced.

NEW YORK, Jan 7—The market opened heavy under an active selling movement in which all the leading shares participated There was a sale of 8000 shares of Reading at from 153¾ to 153¾ compared to 154 yesterday's closing and 5700 shares of United States Steel 73¾ to 73½ against 74¾ yesterday Elsewhere losses ran from ⅛ to ¾ with an exceptional decline of ⅜ in Canadian Pacific and 1 in Union Pacific The announcement of the closing of the Carnegie Trust Company was made just after the market opened

The market received influential backing as soon as the closing of the Carnegie Trust Company became generally known and supporting orders were quickly distributed which stopped the decline Reading, which had been one of the weakest features, was marked up from 153¾ to 154¾ placing it½ above yesterday's close Consolidated Gas also scored a similar recovery but the rest of the list fell a trifle short of making up all of its loss

The short interest took alarm at the subtle character of the buying orders which appeared in the market and bid for stocks eagerly to cover their contracts

The demand was especially urgent for Reading which climbed to 156 a gain from the low of the morning of almost 3 points Baltimore and Ohio and local Gas stocks also were bid up aggressively and there was a further jump of 4 points in United Railroads and Investment

Generally speaking the market showed a good rise over the final prices of yesterday with the improvement broad and comprehensive and on a large scale for both accounts

NEW YORK Jan 7 Gibson says There are still evidences of profit taking in the stocks which have recently advanced but the selling seems to come from more traders who have appreciated for a turn than from any important interests So far as I can determine there are no stocks pressing for sale and on the whole offerings are well absorbed I do not believe there is any considerable flooding supply of stocks in the street The broad range houses say the shares are not more than 25 to 50 per cent of normal and that there have been few long accounts on their books I do not look for any material decline and think the recessions will be quickly recovered under present conditions unless something occurs to influence the course of prices Would buy on every dip of a point or two waiting to sell at higher prices a little later Wheat and crops are on the mend and I look for higher prices for both cereals Would sell cotton on every hard spot

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE.

J C Wilson, Stockbroker

Morning Session Saturday January 7

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

	Bid	Asked
Associated Oil Co 6s	97¼	
Cal Gas & El Gen M & C T 5s	97⅝	98¼
Cal Wire Cable Co 6s		99½
Central & Cliff House Ry 6s	97	98
Los Angeles Ry 5s	100⅝	
Market St Cable 6s	109½	
Pac Gas Imp Co Ntg 5s	97½	97¾
Petaluma Consol of Cal 6s	90½	
Southern Pac Co (of Cal) 6s	116½	
Southern Cal Power 6s	95	98
Stockton Traction Co 6s	90	
Oakland Traction Co 5s	97½	
Pacific Tel & Tel Co 5s	97½	98
Sierra & San Fran Power Co 5s	95	
Spreckels Sugar Co 6s	100¾	
Sunset Tel & Tel Co 5s	101¾	
U Gas & E Corp 5s	91¾	
Unterm Ry Co 1st Ref 4s	81½	84
United R R of S F 4s	58½	
United R R of S F 1 4s	70¼	70½

WATER STOCKS

Spring Valley Water Co	87¼	88

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS

Pac Gas Imp Co	84	86
Pac Lighting Corp pfd		76

SAVINGS BANKS.

Hibernia Savings Bank	320	

SUGAR STOCKS

Hawaiian Com & Sugar Co	83½	84
Honolua Sugar Co	11	
Hutchinson Sugar Co	12¾	
Kilauea Sugar Co		35
Paauhau Sugar Co	9¼	10¼
Waialua Agricultural Co		4

OIL STOCKS.

Associated Oil Co	40½	41

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

Alaska Packers Assn	88½	90
California Wine Assn	75	85
Cal Fruit & Tel pfd	94	
Diamond Match Co	60	
Pacific Tel & Tel Corp	24½	

MORNING SALES

5 000 United R R of S F 4s	70½	
1000 Do	70¼	
1000 Los Angeles Ry 5s	100½	
100 City Electric	112½	
50 Hawaiian Sugar	35	
100 Hutchinson Sugar	11¼	
100 Kilauea Sugar	4	
40 Pacific Tel & Tel common	48	
8 Spring Valley Water	87	

MINING STOCKS

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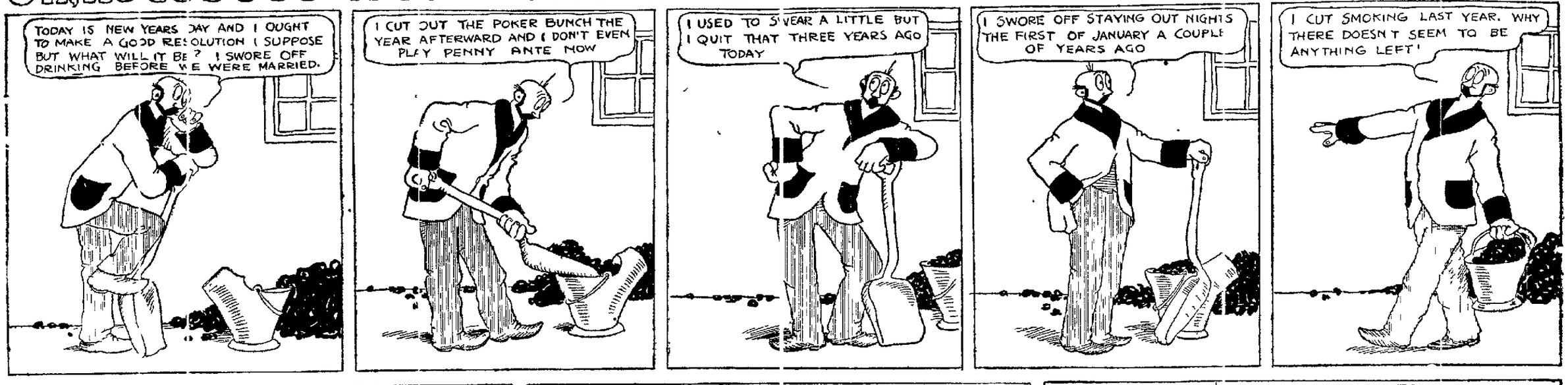
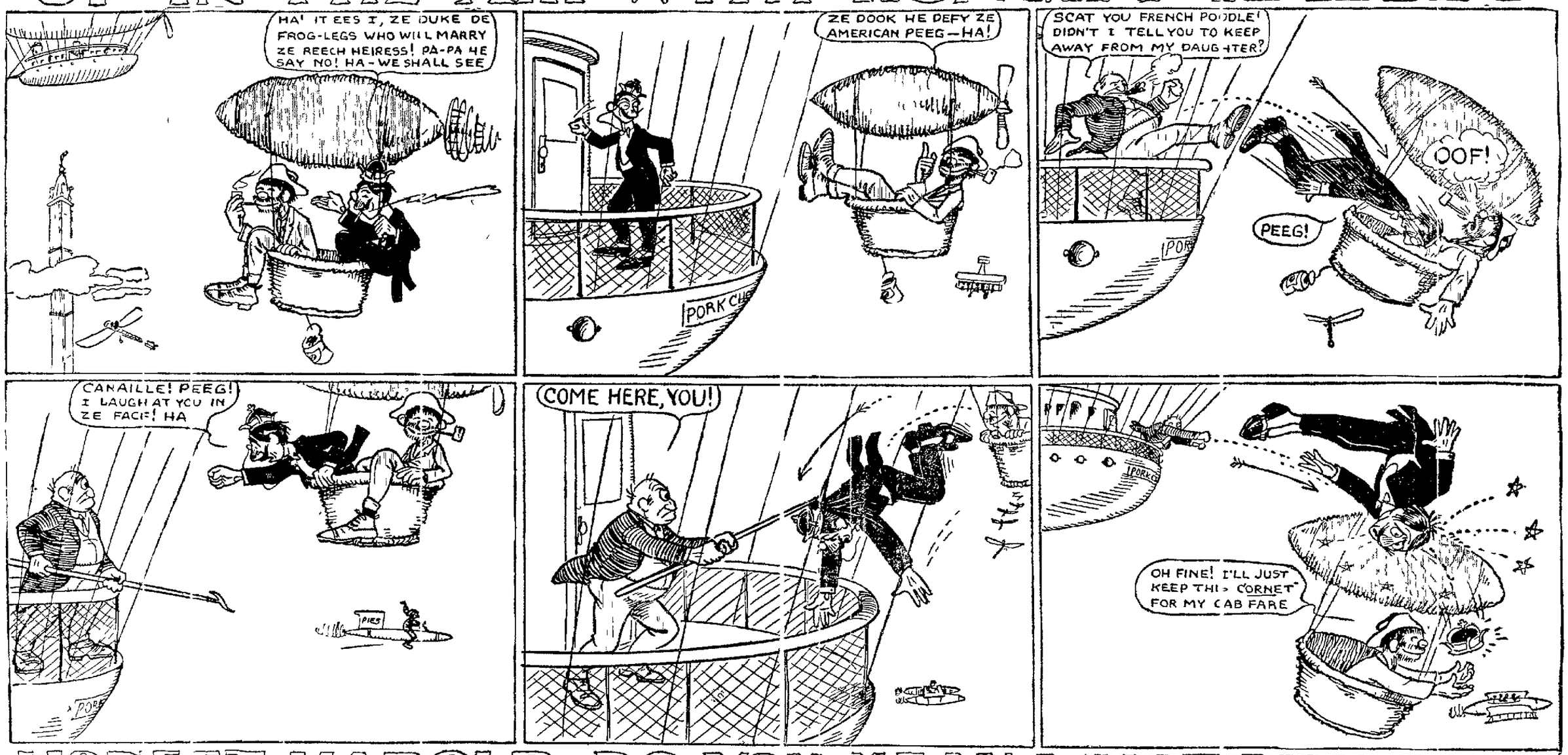
Morning Session Saturday January 7

	Bid	Ask
CLOSING QUOTATIONS		
Ophir	1 [illegible]	
Mexican	1 [illegible]	
Hale & Norcross	1 [illegible]	
Belcher	1 [illegible]	
Con Virginia	1 [illegible]	
Savage	1 [illegible]	
Holmes	1 [illegible]	
Hale & Norcross	1 [illegible]	
Potosi Mining	1 [illegible]	
Imperial	1 [illegible]	
Montana	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Extension	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Mining	1 [illegible]	
Midway	1 [illegible]	
Belmont	1 [illegible]	
Goldfield Consolidated	1 [illegible]	
Jumbo Extension	1 [illegible]	
Kendall	1 [illegible]	
Kendall Extension	1 [illegible]	
Mohawk	1 [illegible]	
Montana Tonopah	1 [illegible]	
Nevada Hills	1 [illegible]	
Red Hill	1 [illegible]	
Rescue Eagle	1 [illegible]	
Silver Pick	1 [illegible]	
Silver Reef	1 [illegible]	
Sandstorm	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Belmont	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Extension	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Mining	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Midway	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Star	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Western	1 [illegible]	
Tonopah Consol

OH, AUGUSTUS—ARE YOUR 1911 RESOLUTIONS WORKING ALL RIGHT?



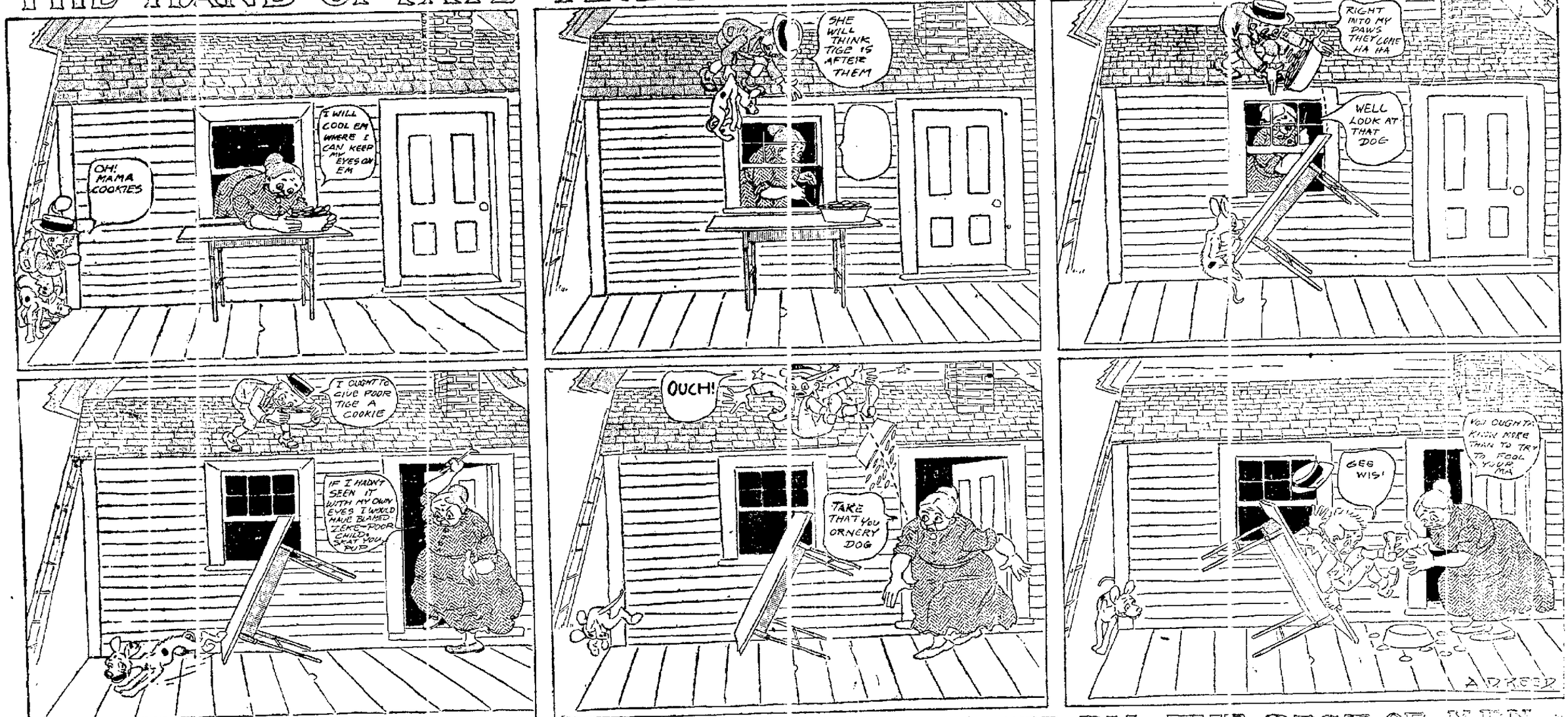
UP IN THE AIR WITH HUNGRY HALLEY



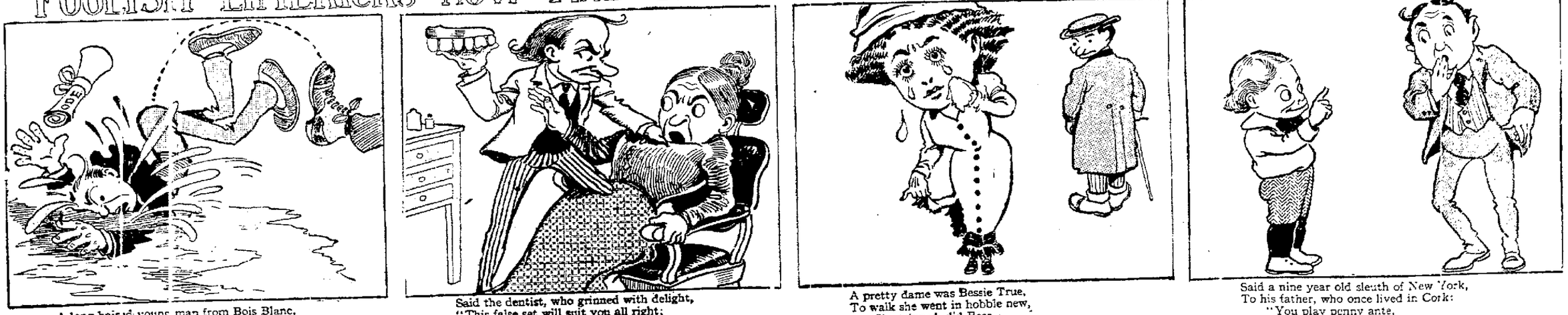
HONEST, HAROLD, DO YOU MEAN WHAT YOU SAY?

MAMMA'S ANGEL CHILD MAKES A NEW YEAR'S CALL

THE HAND OF FATE - AND MOTHER - IS STILL HEAVY ON ZEKE



FOOLISH LIMERICKS NOW AND THEN ARE RELISHED BY THE BEST OF MEN.



A long-haired young man from Bois Blanc,
Wrote an ode to "The Beautiful Snanc,"
With a dull, sickening thud,
He shot into the mud,
From the end of the editor's tanc!
—*Dana Cook, South Bend, Ind.*

Said the dentist, who grinned with delight,
"This false set will suit you all right;
Now just open your face,
While I jam them in place—
You needn't be scared, they won't bite."
—*M. S. H., Denver, Colo.*

A pretty dame was Bessie True,
To walk she went in hobble new,
She tripped, did Bess,
And tore her dress.
"I knew," she said, "the rent was due!"
—*Gordon Seagrove, Chicago.*

Said a nine year old sleuth of New York,
To his father, who once lived in Cork:
"You play penny ante,
I know you are Santa,
And, dad, I just bet you're the stork!"
—*M. S. N., Denver.*

The Oakland Tribune.

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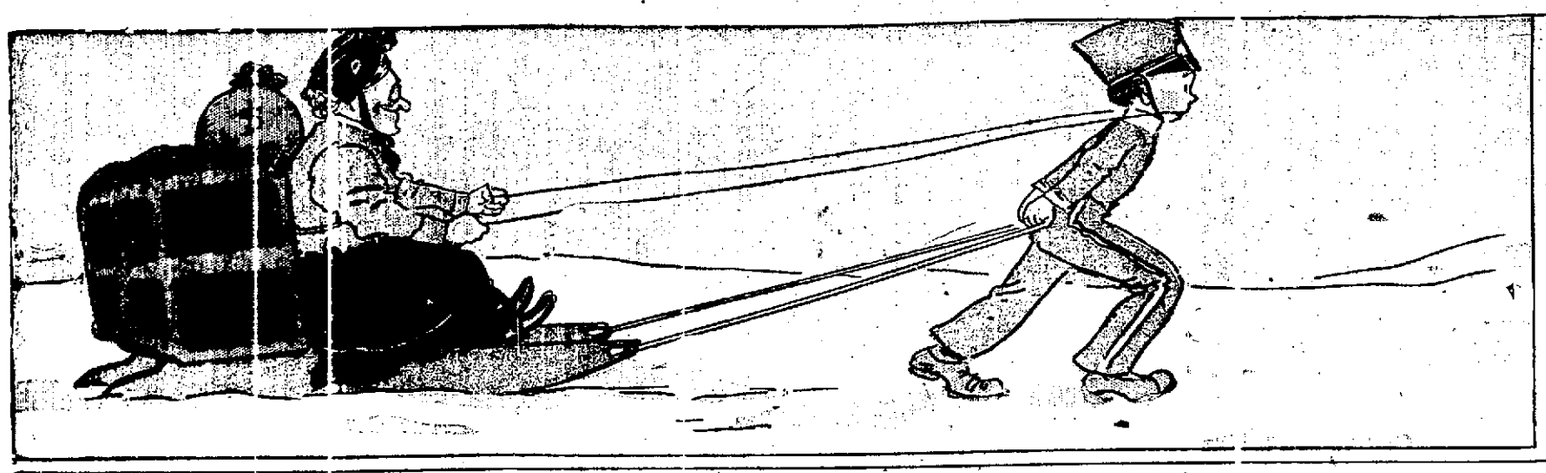

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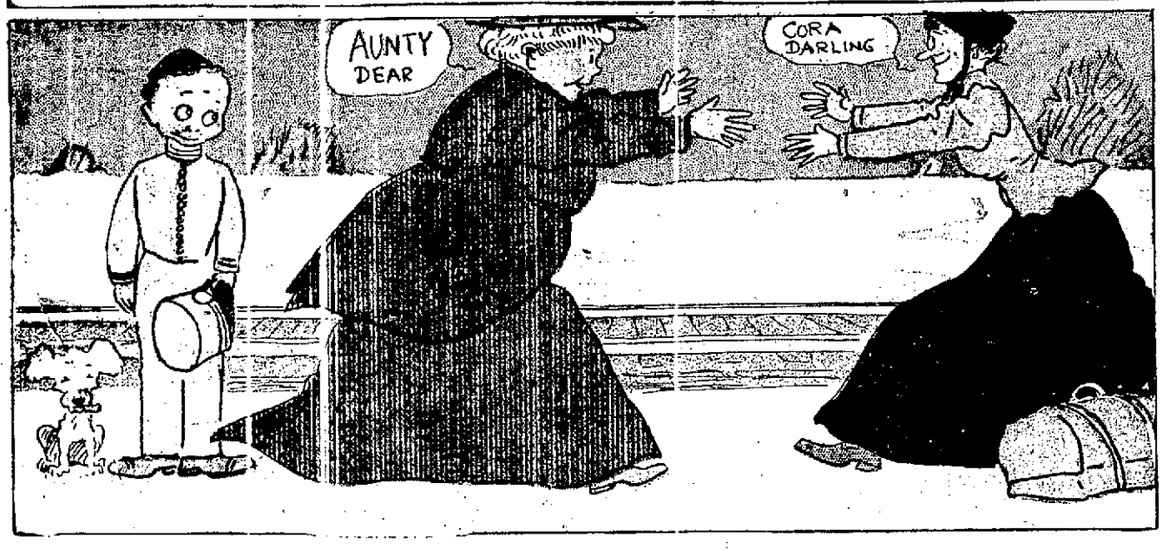

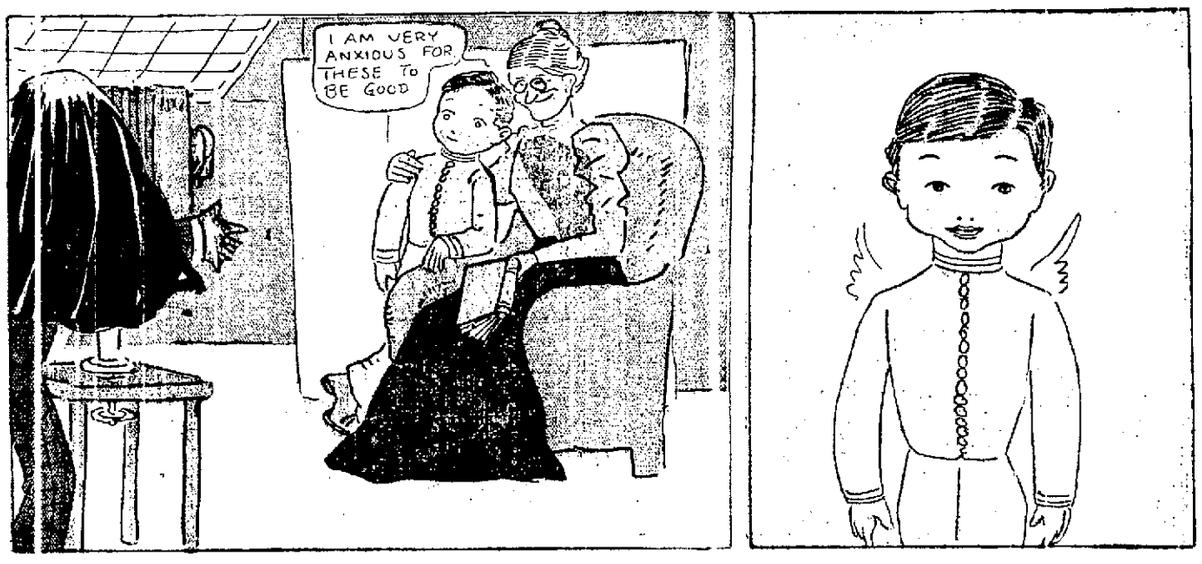

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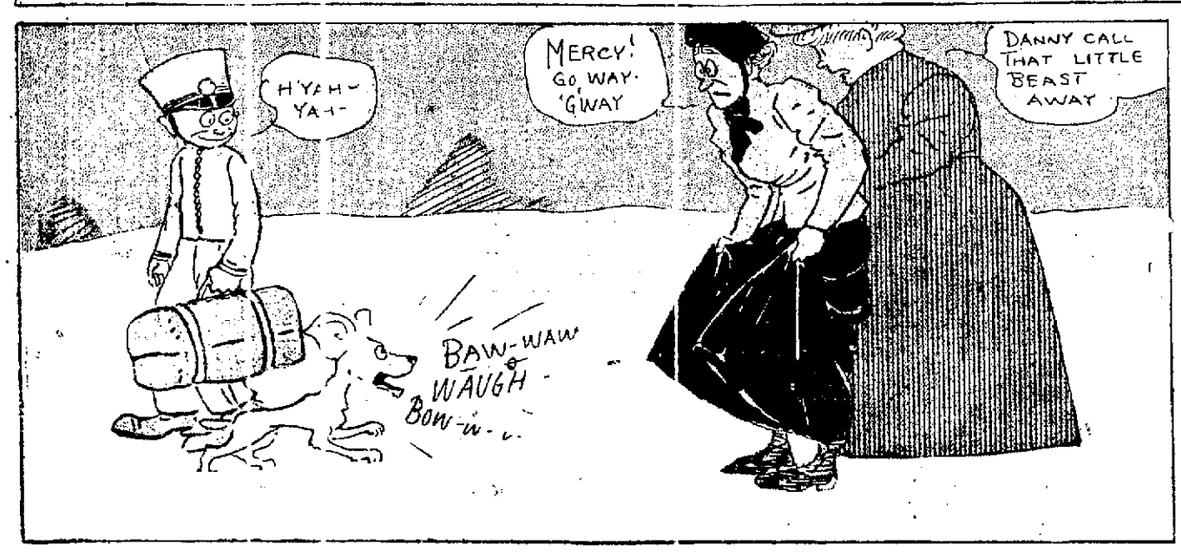

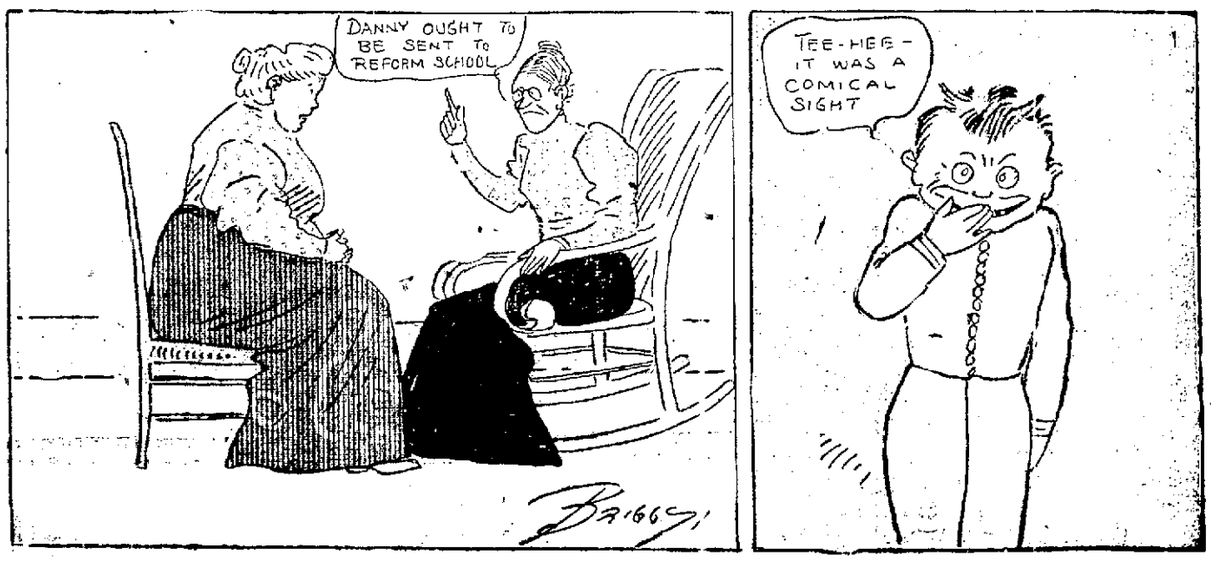

NEWS SECTION

Oakland Tribune.

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Birdmen Startle San Francisco

QUIET RUN SMASHES CARNEGIE TRUST

Though Not Financially Interested, Steel King Will Aid Bank Named for Him

Immediate Cause of Failure Was Rumor Connecting Wrecker Robin With Concern

NEW YORK Jan 7—The State banking department took possession of the Carnegie Trust Company this morning and closed the doors of the institution until its tangled affairs shall be straightened out

Whether the company is solvent is not yet known as no statement bearing on this phase of the matter could be obtained from O S Cheney superintendent of the State banking department In point of fact the superintendent declined all day even to see newspapermen, nor could anyone of his deputies or examiners be induced to utter a single word of information

ROBIN CAUSE OF FAILURE.

Apparently the immediate cause of the failure was based upon rumors in quiet circulation for two or three weeks that J G Robin, who is now in jail under indictment for wrecking the Northern Bank was heavily involved with the Carnegie Trust Company These rumors resulted in a quiet but determined run on the bank Heavy withdrawals were made without attracting public notice until the total deposits were less than the legal reserve The reserve prescribed by the law in the cases of all trust companies is 15 per cent of deposits, exclusive of trust funds and other specified preferred deposits The last statement of the company issued on November 10th last showed total deposits of $8 816 775 Of this amount the preferred deposits of such kinds amounted to $4 766 350 The total of deposits therefore subject to the legal reserve law was $4,191 3

NEW YORK HEAVY DEPOSITOR

Among the bank's many depositors is the city of New York with an account of $850 000 which Chamberlain Charles H Hyde has managed to keep on his books despite the efforts of Controller Prendergast to redeem the account Hyde himself unable to compel the chamberlain's office to protect the funds of the city, when at that time amounted to $1 000 000 the controller early in June last obtained a guarantee from the directors of the bank to protect the city

This guarantee was delivered on October 31st to Hyde after repeated demands by the chamberlain

It is not now in the possession of the ex Mr Hydes hereabouts have been a mystery for more than a month

All that the city has to protect its interests is a certified copy of the guarantee made by the comptroller before he delivered the original to Hyde months ago

CARNEGIE PROMISES AID

It was asserted tonight by one of the executors of the estate of Charles Dickinson one of the company that negotiations were well under way with Andrew Carnegie to come

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LONDON DROPS HIS PEN FOR SAW

Plants Eucalyptus Trees and Wants to Abandon Writing Forever.

"Miserable Occupation" for Him and It Has Been Wearing Him Down

LOS ANGELES Jan — Jack London who verbally and imaginatively whipped Judge Samuels of Oakland in a magazine article a short time ago is having a flying visit to friends in Los Angeles preparatory to turning his knowledge of nature from the writing of books to the cultivating of eucalyptus trees

London stated tonight that his revenge was complete and in the very near future he would throw away the pen and pencil for the more congenial ax and rip saw The author and his wife came to Los Angeles last Thursday night He was seen today and said

TO QUIT SCRATCHING

I have been trying hard to get out of the writing game for many years It never liked to write and only took up the profession as my third and last choice In life I did it to make money and I made it Long ago I made up my mind some time ago that as soon as I saw my way clear to making money in another direction I would quit pen scratching for good I think that my eucalyptus trees will help me make my getaway In the near future and it will be a relief for me to get out of the scrutinizing focus of the public eye

Writing has always been a miserable occupation for me One has to pour whole gallons of midnight oil to get ideas and lately it has been wearing on me I do not appreciate the honor of having my books get into the hands of many people who cannot read sometimes will not understand me

TO PLANT TREES

I have written my stories until in a sense had my say I am satisfied with the results of my work but now it is going to be trees for me until the day I die I have already planted over 30 000 eucalyptus trees and when I am not busy with my 30 000 trees I am going to look over the samples of wool at the chamber of commerce exhibit

I have been told that this is one of the most complete exhibits of its kind in the country and I want to know all I can about the subject If things turn out well the reading public may say good bye to Jack London

The Londons are staying with the Felix Pianos in the Wilshire district but expect to leave the city in the course of the next few days

Vivien Gould to Wed Lord Decies Feb. 7

Date of Wedding of Prominent Couple Becomes Known by Accident

LONDON, Jan 7—It was learned today that the marriage of Miss Vivien Gould daughter of George Gould and Lord Decies will take place February 7th in New York The date had been kept a secret from the public but it became known today accidentally

Hon S R Bechstein brother of the groom has arrived here for the New York trip He will be best man at the wedding Whether the ceremony is to be performed at the Gould mansion or at a church is not yet decided

RESIGNS PLACE AS AMBASSADOR TO TURKEY

OSCAR STRAUS.

WASHINGTON Jan 7—Oscar S Straus of New York has resigned as American Ambassador to Turkey

Straus has had a wider diplomatic experience than any man connected with the State Department having been minister to Turkey under Presidents Cleveland Harrison and McKinley He was given the place of Ambassador to Japan last year but refused it Later he went to Turkey Straus has made a deep study of diplomacy and international law

Smash a Machine by Making Stronger One

Meyer Lissner Tells Sacramento Civic Club Advantages of Organization.

SACRAMENTO Jan —Meyer Lissner delivered an address today at a luncheon given by the Sacramento Civic Club on Organization Lissner followed the first rule of the Lincoln Roosevelt movement in California

The only way to overthrow a machine is to build up a stronger one he said On this account we believe in organization Lines are to be drawn between parties but between progressives and reactionaries

Corey Bids Farewell To Former Co-Workers

Remarks at Banquet Are Not Announced to the Public

PITTSBURG Jan 7—President W E Corey of the United States Steel Corporation bade farewell to his former workers of the Carnegie Steel Co at a dinner at the Duquesne Club tonight The remarks were not made public but the steel officials of the Carnegie Steel Co were present Owing to criticism at this late decorators of former years will have very simple

Five Bombs Found in Ruins of Den of Reds

Also Important Papers That May Lead to Anarchists' Identity.

LONDON Jan 8—Five supposed bombs were discovered today in the debris of the house in Sydney street where two outlaws were shot or burned to death during the police attempt to capture them Tuesday

Important documents which it is hoped will lead to the mystery of the identity of the anarchists who were implicated

Asked Pay for Shoes And Is Fatally Shot

Merchant Negro's Victim and a Posse in Autos Is Seeking the Assailant.

CINCINNATI Jan —Demanding payment for a pair of shoes Louis Dennis of Middletown Ohio is dying and a posse in automobiles accompanied by bloodhounds is tracking his assailant an unidentified negro

The posse is reported to have surrounded the negro in a thicket a few miles south of Middletown

Monaco Principality To Have Constitution

Prince Albert Issues Proclamation Establishing New Form of Government.

MONTE CARLO, Jan —Prince Albert of Monaco issued a proclamation today establishing a constitution It is to be the principality of Monaco in fulfilment of his promise made during the recent agitation by his subjects

MILLIONAIRE FLEES; ALSO TYPIST

Charles Drummond Said to Have Eloped for the Third Time

Tobacco Manufacturer's Son Is Still Married to His Second Wife.

NEW YORK, Jan — Charles Drummond, millionaire in his own right and son of the multi millionaire tobacco manufacturers of St Louis, is in New York today and is said to have eloped again from his home with a young woman

Only four days ago he was fined $500 for bigamy and paroled on his promise never to touch liquor in St Louis and never to marry without being legally divorced Miss Agnes McClanahan of St Louis a pretty stenographer, also is missing

Drummond left St Louis Tuesday afternoon A young woman was with him when he alighted from the twenty four hour train from St Louis last night

It is believed that Drummond who has been divorced from two wives and who legally is still tied to a third wife and the young woman will sail for Europe

ACCOMPANIED BY MAN.

Drummond and the young woman were accompanied by a young man named Logan who seemed to be guiding them and aiding them to find shelter in New York Logan traveled with the couple from St Louis to this city

Drummond, looking fatigued and not at all like the pictured youth in the flush of a romantic elopement, was hailed by a man who had known him in St Louis, as he stepped from the train He would not answer a direct question as to whether he contemplated another plunge into matrimony and when he approached a taxicab he turned with a smile and said

I don't happen to be Mr Drummond

He then jumped into the taxi

ELOPED EACH TIME

Each of the three times Drummond has married he eloped His last marriage was less than one month ago when he went through a ceremony with Helen Vance in a St Louis hotel Soon after the ceremony Miss Vance burst into tears

Drummond's first marriage was in 1898 following his elopement with Miss Mae Ringgold daughter of John Ringgold a stove manufacturer He was then 20 years old and she was a school girl Mrs Drummond later filed suit for divorce in Chicago charging that Drummond drank to excess squandered her money in other places and neglected her and the children She still thinks she was hypnotized when she and Drummond's wife, and he denies she asked was granted

LEFT HIM IN FOUR WEEKS

Drummond next eloped with Charlotte Wortmuller were married at Evanston Ill Drummond in Seattle four weeks declaring she had left him neglected and ill Drummond was under some strange psychic influence from which he formally separated Drummond married Miss Vance who also claimed to have fallen under hypnotic influence

When the third marriage became known Drummond was arrested on the bigamy charge

Herbert Latham Circling the Ferry Tower After Flying From Tanforan and Through the Golden Gate in His Antoinette Airship.

AEROPLANES GLIDE OVER GOLDEN GATE

Latham Bears Off the Epoch-Making Honors of the Aviation Meet

Radley Wins Plaudits of the Crowd by His Spectacular Acts

Thirty Thousand People Cheer the Kings of the Air at Tanforan

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 7.—San Francisco today passed a new mark in the record of her achievements Her first real aviation meet opened with what, without strangulation of the exact truth, can be called a blaze of glory Even that hen-pecked phrase is inadequate.

It was perfect weather, more remarkable than the aviators On the rest of us, some 15 000, the estimators say, the wonder and wizardry of it was lost Meteorological luxury is ours by divine right.

A Summer Day

It might have been possible to pass unrecorded that summer day of today had it not, at the very inauguration of the meet, plumped this city into the ranks of apologists.

The aviators did not altogether like it Amazing, but true They found it too hot too hot in the lower strata of air It forced them to fly high to keep cool And they're wary. These magicians of the clouds of high flying until they have tested the temper of their craft But today they found that they sweltered in the lower air lines

Climatic Champagne

[illegible] into the sparkling [illegible] of the [illegible]

Atmospheric Conditions

[illegible]

Opening Meet

[illegible]

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Cuban Uprising Is Feared; Would Join United States

HAVANA Jan 7 High official and [illegible] fear of the [illegible] the [illegible] precipitate [illegible] Brooks Adams [illegible] is suspected [illegible] are conspiring to [illegible] ment and are awaiting [illegible] opportunity to come out [illegible]

It has not been possible to get [illegible] direct evidence implicating [illegible] suspected [illegible] government [illegible] [illegible]

One [illegible] the situation [illegible] that there is a large and growing [illegible] in Cuba which would welcome the annexation of the island to the United States and this element can [illegible] to strike at the time when the [illegible]

Alleged Vanderbilt Is Identified

PARIS, Jan 7—The police have at last identified who, posing as Frederick K Vanderbilt and who is alleged to have swindled a number of persons, including Prince Miguel of Braganza Anita Stewart's husband an adventurer named Thompson He was born in Warnambool Victoria Australia

Thompson speaks seven languages He has a polished manner and resembles when he wears a yellow wig looks very like W K Vanderbilt Thompson married a Miss Oakley of San Francisco a daughter of the late Judge Oakley of California, in a near relative of Franklin Peirce The ceremony took place in Paris July 16 1888 After the honeymoon of three days his wife left him

Battleships Located by Cruisers

BOSTON, Jan 7.—A wireless message received here gave the Rear-Admiral Stanton commanding the fleet of armored cruisers scouts and torpedo craft which has been steaming northward which has been steaming northeastward in an effort to get into a position to make a theoretical attack at some strategic point along the coast.

The battleship fleet which comprises the 'enemy' commanded by Rear-Admiral Schroeder sailed from European waters with the information that a fleet was to be sent out to find the coast against its attack Will the maneuvers have their intended result? The navy department has taken great pains to create conditions closely resembling those which would exist in warfare.

Havemeyer Will Reveals $29,000 Violin Collection

NEW YORK Jan 7 [illegible] the report on the estate of the late Henry O Havemeyer shows that the sugar king left a collection of violins valued at $29 00 exclusive of a Stradivarius without a second seized by the government which charges that the instrument was smuggled

The remaining bequests of his family are [illegible] widow $1 2 250 [illegible] Mrs Jones Waterbury [illegible] Adeline Moore [illegible] Electra Havemeyer [illegible] Horace Havemeyer [illegible]

U. S. Senate Is in Tumult And Lorimer May Resign

Lorimer of Illinois [illegible] in the Senate storm that will break in the Senate Monday over his election may resign Canvasses of the senate are bringing out a surprising amount of strength in opposition to the seating of the senator

Predictions were freely made that Lorimer will be forced out if he doesn't resign Colleagues are voicing their criticism that he should appear on the floor of the Senate at a time when his face is hanging in the balance Others are saying that he ought to resign

Many senators feel keenly that the Senate of the United States itself is on trial in the eyes of the people and that if it calmly submits to the seating of Lorimer in the face of what has been disclosed it will bring on the Illinois legislature that it stands it will be irreparable damaged

One of the striking developments in the situation is the Democratic strength in opposition to Lorimer. Inquiry among the Senate Democrats discloses that probably not more than a third of them will stand by Lorimer This in spite of the fact that Senator Bailey of Texas has lined up for him

If Lorimer does not resign Monday the fight will go on then and will go on a finish this session

Auction Sale!

Grocery Auction Sale

We have received instructions to sell the fine stock and fixtures of B Stewart Sale at 660 Clay street near 10th street Oakland Tuesday Jan 10th at 10 30 a m Comprising a choice line of the best brands of canned goods sugar spices [illegible] all kinds of [illegible] goods [illegible] National cash register typewriter safe desk counters etc

All must and will be sold

J A MUNRO & CO, Auctioneers.

Marie Tempest Given $1000 for One Song

Former Light Opera Star Receives Big Fee From Mrs Stuyvesant Fish.

NEW YORK Jan 7—[illegible] [illegible] Marie Tempest [illegible] Mrs Stuyvesant Fish [illegible] Manhattan [illegible] the Metropolitan [illegible] Tempest [illegible] Opera House [illegible] first appearance [illegible] tertainment at [illegible]

Censorship of News Of Death of Sailors

Brazilian Government Will Not Allow Advices to Be Given Out.

NEW YORK Jan 7—The Brazilian government is [illegible] censorship [illegible] Rio Janeiro [illegible] the Rio Janeiro

Uncle Joe Frowns on Enlarging the House

WASHINGTON Jan 7—Speaker Cannon [illegible] chairman [illegible] to [illegible] the membership [illegible] the committees [illegible] tables showing [illegible] the effect on the states of the [illegible] number of members, which is 391.

MYSTERY VEILS DEATH OF COUPLE

The Detectives Follow Clews for Week and Problem Is Still Unsolved.

Coroner Adheres to Murder and Suicide Theory; States Attorney Differs.

CUMBERLAND Md. Jan 7.—The deaths of Miss Grace Elosser and Charles Edward Twigg on the eve of the day set for their marriage a week ago becomes more and more of a mystery

The members of the Elosser family in whose home the tragedy occurred maintain their united declaration that they know nothing of how the young man and woman were poisoned

Coroner Beall still holds to his theory that the poisoning was the deed of Twigg no explanation of why Miss May Elosser was also given a small dose of the deadly drug has been forthcoming

ATTORNEY IS CERTAIN

States Attorney Robb however is just as firm in his belief that some one who was in the Elosser home knows how the poisoning was done His detectives are zealously pursuing clews on the basis of that theory

Miss May Elosser was questioned again today and she solemnly reiterated her denial of any knowledge of the cause of the killing Considerable significance is attached by the states attorney to the testimony of Miss Carrie Secor the youngest of the Elosser sisters who said that she had hidden a certain box of candy after the tragedy

Coroner Beall who is pursuing a careful investigation of the past life of young Twigg says he has found that he was of a peculiar temperament The coroner believes Twigg suddenly determined to kill his fiancee and himself and acted on this determination

Although he has received reports that Twigg had other affairs with women and might have been wounded by some of his former sweethearts the coroner has not been able to find any letters among Twigg's possessions indicating that he had such affairs

SISTER WAS UPSTAIRS

The coroner has found confirmation of the statement that May Elosser was upstairs dressing when Mrs Elosser found the pair dead May claims she was attracted from her room by her mother's screams

States Attorney Robb predicts that there will be a surprising development very soon He has put Pinkertons at work on the case

The report that May Elosser has been friendly with a woman in South Cumberland is being looked into carefully by the officers

ATTEMPT TO KISS TENANT IS CHARGE

"Blackmail," Says Wife of San Jose Capitalisst "Wanted" by the Police.

SAN JOSE Jan 7.—Accused of having forcibly attempted to kiss the pretty wife of one of his tenants Homer Prindle, retired capitalist and a former members of the city council is wanted on a warrant charging battery sworn to by A J Nelsen the woman's husband Prindle is out of town but his wife says he is the victim of a blackmailing scheme

Prindle was taken in a patrol wagon from the home of Mrs Christine Nelsen 486 North First street where the struggle for the kiss is said to have occurred at 7:30 o'clock last night but was released on his own recognizance

Nelsen told Police Judge Thomas Dougherty today that Prindle made an appointment with his wife during the day to close business differences

After trying to arrange the engagement in a cafe says Nelsen it was agreed that Prindle should visit Mrs Nelsen in the evening when her husband was away Nelsen and a neighbor were in hiding and rushed out and seized Prindle when Mrs Nelsen summoned them

According to Nelsen Prindle would not talk business but seated himself beside Mrs Nelsen on a lounge and used force and violence in attempting to kiss her

The story Prindle told his wife was quite different He said Mrs Nelsen invited him to sit beside her to discuss business and that he heard Nelsen in the house despite Mrs Nelsen's pleas that he was away He said Nelsen rushed in when his wife failed to persuade him to cancel certain obligations The Nelsens came recently from Salinas

DIES VICTIM OF PTOMAINE POISON

Miss Margaret Yoakum of Oakland Eatss Fatal Cheese Sandwich.

GRIDLEY Jan 7.—Miss Margaret Yoakum is dead as a result of eating cheese sandwich at dinner Wednesday Ptomaine poisoning developed within a few hours and she died today The funeral will be held in Oakland Sunday here only a few days prior to the wedding of Miss Margaret Yoakum her parents Mr and Mrs J A Yoakum

Doctors to Organize Medical Association

PORTERVILLE Jan 7.—Word has been sent to local physicians by Dr Philip Mills Jones of the state board of medical examiners that he will be here within a short time to assist them in organizing a Tulare county medical association Tulare is one of the few counties of its size in this state in which such a society is not in existence There will be no restrictions as to schools of medicine governing those who become members of the projected association

Congressman's Daughter Will Christen Battleship

MISS MARY L MACON, who will christen Battleship Arkansas.

NEW YORK Jan 7—Miss Mary L Macon daughter of Congressman Macon of Arkansas who will christen the battleship Arkansas is one of the prominent society belles of her home state

The christening of the battleship is to take place in the South Camden yards of the New York shipbuilding company on January 17 The Arkansas is of the dreadnaught type

SPALDING BACKER SAYS CHESTER ROWELL OFFERED JOB TO A LOS ANGELAN

San Diego Aspirant Wires That He Will Be in Sacramento Tomorrow to Wage Big Fight

SACRAMENTO Jan 7.—George Burnham, president of the San Diego county chamber of commerce came in tonight with a statement that is believed by those who know him and questioned by those who do not among the latter being Meyer Lissner

Burnham came through Los Angeles yesterday on his way to the capital to help move A G Spalding the baseball man who won 73 assembly districts but lost on the state wide vote United States senator Hete is what Burnham says

While passing through Los Angeles on Friday I met one of the most prominent business men of that city who told me that only a few hours before Boyer Powel of Fresno had called upon him and asked if he would accept the United States senatorship

LISSNER SHRUGS HIS SHOULDERS

But Lissner refused to give the name of the prominent man who said that Rowell had approached him

Of course this talk was handed about by the few members of the legislature who are here Judge Works didn't seem to mind it Lissner shrugged his shoulders gracefully waved his hands and smiled as though it was all rot

But it is known that Chester Powell is in Los Angeles and Burnham's statement is given credence to the extent that it is probable there will be a new candidate for senator when the time comes to name him

Lorrin Assemblyman Bishop of Los Angeles arrived this evening as advance agent of Edwin V Meserve of Los Angeles who ran third for the senatorship in the primary election

MESERVE CLINGS TO STRAW

For the last week still hold Legislators who had been advised to vote for Edwin V Meserve for the United States Senatorship as well as those who had expressed a disinclination to cast their votes for the Works of Spalding have made requests of Mr Meserve to permit the presentation of his name as a candidate for that office before the session of both houses next Tuesday

I am authorized to state that Mr Meserve feels that he is entitled to the same consideration by the Legislature with reference to this office that any candidate at the primary election receives next Tuesday

Some days ago Spalding of San Diego advised the members of the Legislature that inasmuch as under the primary law seventy three of them had been instructed to vote for him for United States Senator he did not think it necessary to come to Sacramento and ask their votes

SPALDING TO SHOW HIMSELF

Then the whisper went around that Spalding was afraid to come to Sacramento because he knew nothing about national issues and would be embarrassed if he was asked any sort of questions on about the tariff conservation or how he stood on the income tax or the referendum

All these knots were wired to Spalding So last night the cheering news was received that Spalding would be in town Monday afternoon Here is the telegraphic correspondence

Sacramento Cal January 7

A G Spalding San Diego

You are cordially invited by a majority of legislators to be at Hotel Sacramento Monday All express desire to meet you before voting You will not be expected to do any soliciting You presence is necessary to offset false statements concerning you and your system Immediate answer respectfully solicited

GRANT CONRAD

Chairman Spalding Committee

San Diego Jan 7

Mayor Grant Conrad Hotel Sacramento Sacramento Your telegram of this day just received In response to your urgent request and in deference to an expressed wish by a large number of the legislators who have asked for an opportunity to see and confer with me and because of the duty I now feel that I owe to the voters of the seventy three districts of the state carried by me at the August primaries I will gladly accept your invitation and barring accidents will be in Sacramento next Monday afternoon A G SPALDING

JOHNSON SEES NO DEADLOCK

Apparently Governor Johnson does not believe there will be a deadlock on the senatorship for there will be even a third choice aloft This afternoon he said that on Wednesday he would be ready to respond to the legislature's call on railroad measures indicating that he certainly felt would be settled by that time

Until the Democrats will go into caucus on the senatorial situation No one believes that the twenty one Democratic senators and assemblymen will vote solidly for Theodore Bell while asking that they do not vote for him and so far Bell only Democrat who says that he intends to vote for a Democrat is Senator Sanford of Mendocino

If the caucus said Sanford some one of my party is selected for the compliment who I will vote for the choice of the majority but in the event of a deadlock I intend to nominate and vote for Lieut A Baker of Modoc

WOMEN TO LOBBY FOR EQUAL RIGHTS

Mrs E V Spencer Will Lead Suffragist Delegation in Fight at Sacramento

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7.—When the amendment which the suffragists of the State are endeavoring to have passed comes up before the present Legislature in Sacramento among the women who will be found battling for equal suffrage rights will be Mrs L V Spencer of Berkeley

Mrs Spencer will leave tomorrow for the state capital where she will be joined by a large delegation of suffragists and their supporters She is a member of the Berkeley Suffrage Club as well as the California Equal Suffrage Association and is known throughout Northern California for her work in the interest of the cause

It was the late Judge Spencer who introduced the suffrage amendment in the California Legislature The bill was first brought up in 1896 Since her husband's death Mrs Spencer has been indefatigable in her work for political equality for women

Mrs Spencer is the mother in law of Julie Burroughs of Lassen county and another daughter is the wife of Congressman elect Baker of Modesto

Mrs William Keith wife of the well-known California artist is president of the Berkeley Suffrage Club She has been an active worker in the interests of suffrage for women of California Mrs Keith declares that the bill which Senator Wolfe will introduce providing for the right of suffrage for women who are taxpayers is an unjust discrimination

We want equal suffrage she declared and to place property above manhood or womanhood is un-American

POULTRY FANCIERS ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Prof. W. E. Gibson Is Chosen Head of Alameda County Association

MANY LARGE RANCHES PRODUCE FINE BIRDS

Campaign of Education Will Be Carried On During Winter.

Officers for the new year were elected by the Alameda County Poultry Association at their last meeting and the executive committee which is composed of the active officers of the organization past presidents and members appointed by the association The new officers are as follows

President—Professor W E Gibson
Vice President—James S Mansfield
Treasurer—H B Scott
Temporary Secretary—William T Frost
Superintendent—C E Ross

The members elected to act on the executive committee in addition to the official members are W H Ingram J H Crow William T Frost H X Willett

This is the eighth year of activities for the organization which now numbers about 75 members An annual show is given each year as a means of stimulating interest in the raising of good poultry and showing the results already achieved in that direction by the enthusiastic efforts of the poultry raisers of the county The last show was held at Piedmont pavilion a month ago and was highly successful in attaining the desired results

WILL EDUCATE

The purpose of the association this year is education said Professor W E Gibson the new president We propose to educate the poultry raiser and fancier and the public as well in the benefits to be derived from poultry raising when properly manipulated to secure the greatest showing of results and we propose to show them how to do it We will endeavor to interest people outside of the poultry raising line in this series of talks to be given during the winter on these subjects The first meeting which will be held on the last Wednesday evening in January will have Incubation as its subject but the speaker of the occasion has not been selected yet by the program committee which is composed of W H Ingram Herbert Gregory and L O Jamieson

INTEREST BEING SHOWN

Increased interest is being manifested in such subjects as farming dairying and poultry raising of late years as shown by the establishment of the agricultural department at the State University Chicken raising has grown to be a science instead of a haphazard proceeding based on guesswork and no less are we glad to see information on the improved ways of conducting this business so as to get the maximum of results from it We wish to impress on people the value of good stock and careful breeding in evolving the highest type of revenue producing poultry

The standard of perfection in each breed is set by the American Poultry Association and it is interesting to note that no one specimen has ever reached the standard in every requirement so far We have given a show every year for some time and have had many fine chickens exhibited The greatest improvement is in large poultry farms in the southern part of the county both of fanciers and those who raise poultry for commercial purposes

Among the more important ranches is that of H C Ingram at Irvington who specializes in White Leghorns W H Hirsch also has a large location as has Mrs Carrington a Hayward Professor Gibson has a place at Niles where he makes a specialty of Rhode Island Reds One of the establishments which although not a ranch is important to chicken fanciers is that of W H Ingram of Fruitvale who is the representative of John H Bell of England one of the largest breeders of Orpingtons in the world

The association holds a meeting on the last Wednesday evening of each month at which an address is given on the topics of interest to the poultry fancier of Alameda county and the problems which are of vital interest to the industry are brought up for discussion

THREE BROTHERS BORN JANUARY 3

Sixteen Years Intervene Between the Oldest and the Youngest.

SPOKANE Wash Jan 7.—Peter G C D and J H Lyle celebrated the anniversaries of their births January 3 Sixteen years intervene between the oldest and the youngest Lyle is the oldest being born January 3 1846 the second is Hyle born January 3 1858 while Robert Lyle a wealthy farmer and sheep man living near Pullman Wash first saw the light of day on January 3 1863 The aforesaid says that his family has a record for longevity never equalled in any of the eminent Ills claims are verified by documentary proof in the shape of family and court records giving the dates of births as aforesaid noted Robert Gayle has been a resident of Eastern Washington since territorial days He has made a study of breeding cattle and therefore has a thriving ranch of his line of agriculture His farm is one of the best in Whitman county when he has a harvest of production is about 8 50 bushels a year

300 Miles an Hour Can Be Attained

NEW YORK Jan 7.—It is possible for an aeroplane to fly much swifter than any vehicle that has ever been built Flight at this moment is capabilities are far beyond the daring of human being

The foregoing statement was made by Wilbur Wright during his present visit to this city

It is perfectly feasible to build an aeroplane which will fly 100 to 150 even 300 miles an hour said Mr Wright

Possibly an aeroplane might attain even greater speed In our propellers I believe we have the screw that can produce almost any speed Going at the rate of 300 miles an hour a man who could stand the strain would make the trip between New York and Chicago in less than three hours

Dr Cook admits that he made 500 apples

Judge Newman of Atlanta released eight moonshiners to go home for Christmas

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CARNEGIE TRUST IN BAD TANGLE

President of Company, a Tennesseean, Kicked J G Robin Out of Directory

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to the relief of the institution that bears his name but in which he held no financial interest that Mr Carnegie virtually had agreed to render the needed aid but insisted that he must be allowed to settle the situation before returning until next Monday morning It was said further that this representation had been made to Pierce Superintendent Cheney but that he refused to withhold action longer than this morning

A dramatic feature of the efforts made by the bank officers to avert the impending doom was the virtually flight last week by W J Cummins the institutions heaviest individual stockholder and its vice president from the country to consult with personal financial interests to come to its relief Early in the evening of Dec Mr Cummins superintendent of the mint visited the mayor went to the mayor's residence with a statement of the situation to be laid before the directors and then hurried to the railroad station to catch a train for the east

Mr Cummins upon his return to the city refused to discuss the matter but it is known that he said that the bank could continue successfully if the Carnegie Trust Company would live up to its agreement and furnish the funds

Joseph T Hoyle president of the concern was brought to New York on a telegram from the president of the Fourth National Bank of Nashville Tenn He succeeded J B Richardson a Nashville banker who lives in Montclair N J

Hoyle and Powell left by automobile for Montclair Arriving at the Richardson home they found that Richardson had no funds at the Providence bank and was required immediately to cover his deficit The Carnegie trustees refused to advance the money at this time the amount of the shortage was said by Cummins officials

LIST OF OFFICERS

The following list of the officers and directors was given out today

President Joseph T Hoyle vice president R J Smyth secretary R B Meyer treasurer secretary A Chandler assistant secretary A M Sampson

Directors Joseph T Hoyle George Cochran South David H Hart James O Mc Comis John Cuddy Charles Y Moor Jr Perry H Johnson Joseph B Richardson Thomas Davis Robert F Smyth W B Chamberlain William A Keeler Martin J Condon George Crabbe H S Hyde

Rancher Is Killed in His Own Doorway

MADERA Jan 7—A Silvey a ranchman here was shot to death on the doorstep of his home this morning in sight of his wife and children The killing occurred when Silvey opened the door in response to a knock on the door

Mrs Silvey told the Madera police that her husband was shot down before her eyes by a man who escaped in the darkness

Silvey was a well known rancher and was highly respected in the community

Willard Drops Bombs With Great Accuracy

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7 Walter Willard the aviator who has been practicing for the coming meet here dropped bombs from his aeroplane today at a target on the Oakland estuary and scored a hit every time Willard dropped a total of 12 bombs and hit the target with 11 of them

EXPOSITION TAX IS TO BE LEVIED

Governor Johnson Puts Quietus to New Orleans Attack

SACRAMENTO Jan 7 Governor Johnson today put a quietus to the letter sent to the governors of the various states by Governor Sanders of Louisiana asking that the governors of the various states refuse to appoint commissioners to the Panama Pacific exposition unless the bill now pending in congress providing for the levying of a tax of one half of one per cent on the gross receipts of the exposition is withdrawn

Governor Johnson in his letter to Governor Sanders declared that he would appoint commissioners to the exposition and that he would not withdraw his support from the exposition because of the tax bill now pending in congress

Governor Johnson said that he was in favor of the tax bill and that he would appoint commissioners to the exposition regardless of the tax bill

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$17.50 Mixed Coats	$ 8.75	$30.00 Evening Coats	$15.00
$20.00 Mixed Coats	$ 9.95		
$25.00 Mixed Coats	$12.45	$35.00 Evening Coats	$17.45

DRESSES

$15.00 Wool Dresses	$5.00	$25 Silk or Wool Dresses	$12.45
		$30 Silk or Wool Dresses	$15.00
$20.00 Wool Dresses	$9.95	$50.00 Evening Dresses	$24.95

SKIRTS

$6.50 Skirts	$3.25	$10.00 Skirts	$5.00
$7.50 Skirts	$3.75	$15.00 Skirts	$7.45

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Quick Start	Radley and Curtiss
Passenger Carrying	Latham and Curtiss
Accuracy in Landing	Ely and Brookins
Wireless Telephoning	Latham
Daily Speed	Curtiss and Radley
Daily Altitude	Brookins, Parmalee, Willard and Radley
Second Test in Bomb Dropping	Latham or Curtiss, carrying Lieut. Beck

Latham's Flight Through the Golden Gate and Radley's Aerial Voyage Over the Bay

Daring Birdmen Give Wonderful Exhibition of Their Skill to the Delight of Myriad Spectators

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discriminately all over the peninsula today. The man who was taking the salt water cure for his feet on the beach at the Cliff House or who was fishing under the shade of Point Bonita or peddling shoe laces at the Ferry building, or stoking coal on a ferry boat, had just as much of a thrill today as the gentleman who sat in the grand stand at Tanforan with binoculars glued to his eyes.

Toreadors of the Air

They were generous with their thrills today, those lean leathered toreadors of the air.

It was the first day, tuning up day, and the lust for records had not yet got into their blood. The judges, the senior judges and the junior judges, and all the little judges had little to do but walk around in their aviation clothes—wonderful things these aviation clothes, reminiscent of horse shows and Scotch golf courses—and wear their gay arm bands to the best effect. The morning had worn itself away before a real aviator had put on his leather trousers.

Military Encampment

The growing crowd had gazed itself eye weary at the neat little military encampment which Major O'Neil has planted in the heart of the aviation field. It had listened to the band to its heart's content. It had watched the khaki-clad soldiers trace pretty figures on the green sward until it could not quite remember whether it had come to a military show or a bird-men's carnival.

Valiant Amateur

It had watched the lumbering evolutions of a pterodactylic thing that one of the amateur airmen proudly called his airship. The announcer could not pronounce this airman's name, so the crowd was left in ignorance to watch his valiant efforts without suspecting his identity. He deserved a better fate, that amateur, for he was the only one of the fourteen amateurs scheduled to "fly" who had the temerity to try.

Trying was the best he could do. He tried and tried but it was no use; so he led his thing away to tell it his mind in the hangar.

That amateur's vain effort furnished a little comic relief that kept the morning hour from hanging heavy. If the management was wise it would scatter this comic relief through it the day to relieve a little the monotony of thrills. Less than an hour after the time the management had set aside for the patronage of the pale green oysters that blink at the sun from glass bowls and other pretenders stored behind the grand stand, the military camp, the soldiers, the band and the amateurs had been forgotten.

Willard Appears

Unexpectedly there was a rattle and a whiz off toward the hangars, and in another second real aviator Charles F. Willard was in the air scooting for the hills that rise above South San Francisco. Then in a few minutes English Jimmy Radley was heard to remark. "Blimey, where be this 'ere Goat Island that Ely is taking about? I want to see it."

Radley Sails Away

And while the crowd was still "ahing" and "ohing" at Willard away went Mr Radley. With a wave of his hand to the crowd on the stand the little Englishman, who is disloyal enough to ride a French machine, a Blériot monoplane, was off on an air line to San Francisco.

Ass he flashed past the stand every heart that held a grain of aesthetic sense went out to his birdlike Blériot, and every eye watched it grow smaller and smaller, until it was but a speck in the sunmist over the bay, and then disappear.

Then Came Announcer

Then came the announcer, who is strong on "ladies and gentlemen" but weak on French names—so weak that he would rather lose his job than call out "Marie Antoinette," no longer the name of a queen, but of an airship through his aeroplane he announced. "Ladies and gentlemen, Mr. Radley has now started on a trip around the bay. I will announce his progress as we get reports."

He did. For the next twenty minutes that announcer was busy. Hadley had reached the bay. He was sailing over the bay. He was in sight of the city. He had been seen from the city. He was heading for Goat Island. He had passed over Goat Island. (No, he had not dropped any bombs.) He was now passing over the ferryboat Berkeley. (Great excitement.) He was now circling the battleships in the bay. (No, the judges were quite positive Mr. Radley had no bombs with him.)

Navy Is Safe

The navy is safe. Mr Radley was now passing over shipping in the bay, now he was coming back.

And then a long suspense. In the meantime Walter Brookins, in a baby Wright, Philip Parmalee in his regular Wright, and Willard were in the air together, doing some high and lofty tumbling in the sky. Glenn H. Curtiss, the man who would not be surprised if he ran across a hole in the sky that let him take a peep at Paradise, did not get into the air, although, through an error of the announcers, most of the spectators thought they saw him.

Wonderful Sight

It was wonderful and thrilling. Most of us had never seen anything like it before, and it got headachy trying to take it all in. They were going up and down so fast now, circling around high and low almost flicking the face of the grand stand at times, and at others making the soldiers run like a flock of scared rabbits, that it was almost impossible to take it all in. There must be such a thing as too much aviation, which is why, perhaps, they have been rushing around shouting, "High ther', get your seltzer for that aviation headache."

There has got to be something to divet the attention at an aviation meet, and now, out of the haze that overhung the South San Francisco hills, that thing came on the winds of the wind.

It was Radley coming back from his trip to the bay. Nothing else interested the crowd now.

Army Mules Alarmed

Broncins was cutting the loveliest kind of aerial capers in the shade of the mountains. Right out in front of the grand stand, scaring the wits out of the army mules that decorate Major O'Neil's camp was that daredevil twister turning the circles that no other aviator can turn quite so well. This man Willard can turn those circles so fast that if he had a tail he could catch it, which is a hard thing for a fox terrier to do, and it can twist some.

Cheers for Radley

How they cheered Radley those ships in the stand, when he returned. He was grinning like a kid when he leaped from his machine almost at the door of his own hangar. Radley had right to be proud. He was the first man who had ever looked down on the bravest city in the world from an airship, and the cheers of its stay-at-homes were still in his ears.

See the Bird-Men Fly!

Round trip by auto; cheap rates. Hurry and see me about it. Jack Manley, 46 11th St., Oak. 4465, A-4465. Residence phone, Oak. 6104.

Aviator Radley Leaving the Tanforan Aviation Field On Start of Sensational Aerial Cruise Over the City and Bay of San Francisco

CAPERS LIKE SEA GULL.

San Francisco's aviation excitement had its climax today along the water front, when James Radley in his little Blériot unexpectedly appeared amid the shipping and cut capers scarcely equaled by the sea gulls.

When a keen eyed urchin selling papers at the ferry building caught a glimpse of Radley he forgot all else. In a moment every person for blocks around rushed toward the docks. Men, women and children were soon massed upon the wharves, entranced at the sight of the intrepid Radley flying over the cruisers lying in Man-of-War Row.

SCRAMBLE ON DOCKS.

Hard-eyed bartenders along East street joined their late customers, all scrambling for places of vantage. In the eagerness to see, there were those that forgot to be gentle as they crowded into the multitude. Yet there was but one accident.

WOMAN FALLS INTO BAY.

Miss Belle Stroll of 30 Gough street was crowded off the Howard street wharf into the water. Before the fast flowing tide had carried her far R. Cranz, steward of the schooner Higgins, leaped after her and held her up until a rope had been thrown out.

Though unconscious when taken to the Harbor Emergency Hospital, she was soon revived by Dr. Edgeberg.

ON THE WARSHIPS.

The interest and excitement on shore were equaled on the United States cruisers West Virginia and Maryland.

Every person on board the ships from Rear-Admiral Barry down to the cooks and stokers was on deck.

The marines, pointing at the little craft of the air, wondered if they could have hit it.

ADMIRAL ON DECK.

The admiral came on the deck of the West Virginia with his marine glasses, but scarcely had he adjusted them than the "plane" swept by, while a thousand lusty bluejackets' shouts went up.

With a wave of his hand, Radley responded to the greeting and steered his machine toward the Maryland.

Rising and falling and turning circles with ease borne of confidence, the little Englishman continued to startle officers, sailors and commuters. Flying close to the ferryboat Berkeley he dipped so near the water that passengers could almost see the color of his eyes.

At last Radley directed his course for the return trip to Tanforan.

LATHAM'S GREAT FLIGHT.

The crowd dispersed, only to experience more sensations, when Latham came sweeping over the bay from the direction of the harbor entrance at an altitude of a thousand feet.

He passed in review before the thousands as he glided away over the South San Francisco hills.

FASCINATION OF PERIL.

Thrilled by the fascination of peril, tense with the excitement of a marvelous spectacle that showed the very limits of man's daring and ingenuity, all the world and his wife, including that portion of society spelled everywhere with a capital "S" formed a dense hedge about the three sides of aviation field this afternoon to see the initial events in the great international contest between the intrepid birdmen. It was a truly magnificent pageantry, comparable to nothing preceding it in San Francisco. From the first bugle call to the latter whirr of the gigantic skeleton birds overhead, there was that spirit of expectancy in the very air that imparted the beauty of keen admiration to the faces upturned to watch the wonderful flights.

It was an element that seemed to unite all the persons of original energy, for this was real sport and sport is always democratic.

SOMETHING ELEMENTAL.

Here was something new, something elemental in its bid to courage and daring. Its results moved master and man. In the thrill of its excitement beauty forgot her pose and haughty dignity was humbled before man's conquest of the elements.

When the crowd was thoroughly cosmopolitan in character it was to be quite truthful society which today gave its royal welcome to the man whose achievements have won the plaudits of the two continents.

LATHAM STARTS.

When Monsieur Latham gallantly asked Mr. Radley how far he had gone and Mr. Radley had told him he had sailed over the city and bay and generally "raised thunder" Mons. Latham was said.

But never shall it be said that the Union Jack had gone where the tri-color feared to go. "Mais alors, regard moi," quoth the Frenchman, and he ordered out his graceful Marie Antoinette the machine whose name the announcer dares not pronounce.

Away at the back of Latham's head was a great idea. Radley had sailed over the bay. Pouf! That was nothing! Had ever an airship sailed through the Golden Gate? Never. Then he Hubert Latham, would do it.

And by the seven winds and all the holes in the Swiss cheese atmosphere of Los Angeles, Hubert Latham did fly in at the Golden Gate yesterday. This feat alone will send the city's first aviation meet ringing and singing and chortling down in history.

UP AND AWAY.

Radley had scarcely ceased shaking hands with admirers the Marie Antoinette was up and away whistling a vengeful tune through wire and motor as he whirred into the higher air. Judges and announcers and everyone else thought that Latham was merely going up to drop a few innocuous bombs at the squadron of wooden horses and men that Major O'Neil has planted at the north end of the field.

But over these the Marie Antoinette sailed disdainfully. Straight ocean-ward it flew, straight as the dragon fly if so much resembles and dwindling in the distance like one, only more.

He was hovering over the Seal Rocks, called the announcer. He was still hovering. He couldn't see them. Ah they had hidden in the crannies of the rocks. Now they had barked at the man-bird and Latham had flown.

He had swung around into the Golden Gate.

Now he was over the grave of the Rio. Now the idlers at Land's End had seen him and yelled. Now he was over Fort Point.

SEES OUR FIRST DEFENSE.

He can tell his government what our first line of defense looks like. Now he has swung to the Marin side. He has waved a greeting to the caged soldiers on Alcatraz. He has darted over to startle placid Berkeley, and now he is flashing over the city's waterfront. He has almost scraped the pinnacle of the Ferry building. And now he is coming back.

Again, there is a tense lull among the thousands on the aviation field. Latham had been gone the best part of an hour. He carried the thrill of the day away with him and scattered it broadcast up and down the coast. He had made a celebration for the French colony, for he had beaten the feat of the Englishman Radley. The crowd was tired impatiently to greet him, but knew not which way to look.

A program boy with a eagle eye was the first to pick up the speck of the Marie Antoinette cleaving its way out of the mist over the boulle of the mountain that hides the bay from sight. That boy has wit as well as eagle vision. "There he comes, there he comes!" he yelled. "Buy a program and get his number."

STRAIGHT TO HIS NEST.

And there he came plunging like a bat out of the deepening shade. Nearer and nearer until the triumphant roar of his motor was deafening, and he drove like a gull and as straight to the nest of his beautiful boat.

And all he said "Well I was the first man to fly in at your Golden Gate, anyway." Lacking a little in poetry, but enough, you must admit.

30,000 See Flights And Larger Crowds Are Expected Today

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Thirty thousand persons saw Latham, Radley and the other aviators fly at Tanforan today according to the estimates made by the transportation companies.

A much greater crowd is expected tomorrow, but with the facility with which the transportation companies handled the crowd today the aviation field will be just as easy of access.

Direct trains to the big field next to the Tanforan track were run by the Southern Pacific from 9:30 in the morning until 2:15 in the afternoon, and although a schedule was adhered to, there were trains in readiness at the Third and Townsend street station to leave at any moment the traffic demanded it.

San Mateo suburban cars left Fifth and Market streets every fifteen minutes after 8 o'clock in the morning. The Polk and Larkin and Mission street line had cars from Lombard street every five minutes after 10:30 in the morning, the Valencia street line every five minutes from the Ferry after 11:32 a. m., and the Cemeteries line every five minutes after 8 a. m.

The cars of the street railway lines were, of course, the most crowded, but every one who wanted to get to the aviation field got there.

After its experience of today the committee decided to enforce more stringent methods in policing the crowd tomorrow. The aviators complained today that too many persons were allowed to crowd around the hangars. This part of the ground will be kept clear tomorrow.

The aviation field itself was kept clear enough to suit the fliers, but one boy less than five years old had a very narrow escape from being bowled over by one of the machines in its descent. This boy simply became reticent and ran away from his guardians on the field.

Lieutenant J. C. Walker of the Eighth infantry had the boy taken off the field after his escape, which gave the big crowd a very tense moment before he emerged from it.

SEA-FIGHTER DOUBTS EFFICACY OF AIRSHIP

Rear-Admiral Barry Says That His Riflemen Could Riddle Monoplane

By REAR-ADMIRAL E. B. BARRY.
Commander of the Pacific Fleet.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—This is the first time I have ever had the opportunity to observe the wonderful accomplishment of the twentieth century, wherein man is permitted to fly overhead with the speed, ease and grace of a bird. The Radley, the man bird, the spectacle of skimming over the waters of San Francisco bay, darting over the fairways of the ferry steamers and daring up and down, among the hundreds of seafowl with an abandon never excelled by the birds themselves, is a sight to stir the blood of all men.

Though I knew that the aviators intended to visit the cruisers at some time during the meet I was totally unprepared to witness today's sight. I feel sure that my appreciation was as great as that of any of the hundreds of men under my command.

With the limited knowledge I possess of the science of aviation, it is difficult for me to venture an opinion as to the part the airship will take in future warfare, but to my mind, the furor exercised by many as to its effectiveness seems to be slightly overdrawn. As a means of obtaining maps and other data while flying from a great altitude—say over fortifications and land defenses, the airship will without doubt prove all that can be desired. But as a means of attack against the modern ship of war, it seems improbable that as much can be said.

If the weather conditions for flying were perfect and no hindrance were interposed to the movement of the aviator, it is probable that enough explosives could be dropped upon the most vulnerable portion of a battleship to put it out of commission.

In practice, however, the result would no doubt be different. It must be remembered that every warship has on board hundreds of marines, each of whom is well trained as a marksman. They are armed with rifles that have a muzzle velocity of about 2700 feet per second and it seems unreasonable to suppose that the bird man could get close enough to become effective before at least one of the fast traveling projectiles would render him helpless and cause man and machine to topple into the depths below.

If Radley had been a real enemy attempting an attack upon this ship today it would have been utterly impossible for him to pass over the deck as he did. There are hundreds of men on this ship that could have riddled Radley and his monoplane before he could have brought his machine within a thousand feet of the ship.

LATHAM IS THE HERO OF AVIATION MEET

First of Birdmen to Fly Through the Portal of the Bay of San Francisco

By W. W. NAUGHTON

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—And when all was said and done who was the hero of the day? Well, thereby hangs a story.

James Radley, the English driver of the Blériot monoplane, enjoyed the distinction for about forty minutes, but for the balance of the afternoon Hubert Latham, pilot of the long, low rakish Antoinette, of French extraction, was the pet of the populace.

It is a story of two flights over San Francisco bay and of the Frenchman going the Englishman one better by steering his bark around the Cliff House and soaring through the Golden Gate.

It is a story which serves to show that the same rivalry exists among sky-climbers who take their lives in their hands every moment they are aloft, as among persons whose interests jostle in other walks of life.

The fun of it is that Radley might have had all the glory that attached to out-of-grounds exploration if a bantering match had not arisen between him and Latham.

The Englishman had just returned to the field after circling the bay and warships.

He had descended with the plaudits of 15,000 thoroughly thrilled spectators ringing in his ears. He was enjoying a cigarette at the door of his pylon or hangar, or whatever it is, when the Frenchman accosted him.

"But you did not go out through the Golden Gate," said Latham in a spirit of mischief.

TAKES THE DEFI.

"No, but I'll go now, if you'll accompany me," replied Radley, slapping Latham on the shoulder.

The Frenchman said nothing. He gave no intimation that the "dare" had suggested something to him. He made a mental note of the fact that the honor of being the first to bring an airship in through the Golden Gate of San Francisco was still to be won.

He watched his chance later and stole away from the field, giving no intimation of his intention beyond the course he steered.

He returned after an absence of fifty minutes, where as Radley's tour bayward had only occupied thirty-five.

And before he lit on Mother Earth again it was known from judges' stand to soldiers' tents and from automobile park to main entrance that he had sailed through the Golden Gate.

What tumult there was when it was first announced that Radley would take his beetle-wing Blériot over the roofs of San Francisco and out around the bay! At that time, of course, the Englishman had no thought of complications later.

With no more ground start than a newly-flushed quail requires he lifted his monoplane into the air and made the round of the air lane high above the track.

HEADED FOR SALT WATER.

Then he headed for salt water, and a dozen telephones warned interested parties in the city to be on the lookout for him.

The city folks got their first glimpse of him when he hoomed above the Potrero hills. He dipped and sailed low as he came across the upper reaches of the bay—so low, indeed, that a dory went up that he had fallen into the water.

Presently he ascended again, and as he steered toward Goat Island the Blériot buzzed along at an elevation of 150 feet.

By this time many thousands of pairs of eyes were focused on the Englishman and his craft.

He swept in graceful curves around the warship West Virginia, and then steered for the Maryland and paid her a similar compliment.

The whirl of the propellers could be heard distinctly by the men on the battleships, and the glint of the sun on the wires and rubber metal portions of the plane made the spectacle doubly fascinating.

Radley went toward Goat Island again and then turned in the direction of the city.

SEEN FROM FERRYBOAT.

By this time the ferryboat Berkeley, crossing to the city from Oakland and literally crammed with passengers, had reached a position where those aboard her had a splendid view of the Blériot's midair evolutions.

They cheered and waved handkerchiefs, and Radley, as a return compliment, sped toward the Berkeley until he was a bare twenty-five feet from water.

The rush of the passengers from side to side as the Blériot dipped and veered caused the big steamer to rock.

Radley flew around the Berkeley and then steered a course midway between the West Virginia and the Maryland, rising and descending and hovering just as the real, live bay birds do.

He dipped toward the West Virginia, and, it is said, barely lifted his craft sufficiently to clear her top hamper, such as it is.

It was then that Rear Admiral E. B. Barry, who was an interested watcher and who from the nature of his calling and the possibilities claimed for aeroplanes probably has no love for such craft, remarked: "If necessary, I could have riddled it with 400 bullets."

By this time the congested condition of the docks along the water front can be better imagined than described. The only wonder is that in the struggle for positions of vantage several excited star gazers were not precipitated into the water.

AROUND GOAT ISLAND.

Once again Radley made the circuit of the warships and Goat Island and then pointed his prow for the aviation field.

San Francisco lost sight of him at Hunters' Point and not many minutes later he descended almost at the identical spot from which he began his flight.

Then followed the verbal tilt with Latham, but it was only a half hour later before the crowd had an inkling as to the ambition which possessed the Frenchman.

He made an ascent his second, ostensibly to throw bombs and fire a revolver at wooden horses, but he went round and round in the upper air without becoming the work he was supposed to do on hand.

Suddenly he swerved to wave an adieu to the judges and strike a bee line for the dim cloud smoke rack that marked the general direction of the city and harbor.

They all knew what he meant by this time and Californians thinking in terms of San Francisco was warned to watch out for Latham.

He flew high and it was somewhere over the Presidio reservation that the first glimpse of the Antoinette monoplane was had.

THROUGH GOLDEN GATE.

Word was flashed from the Cliff House that he was in sight.

Latham had but one purpose in view. Radley had had the cream of kowtowing to ferryboats and warships. What the Frenchman wanted was to be able to say that he was the first to bring an airship through the Golden Gate.

He rounded the Cliff House with a good margin of sea between himself and the shore and sailed high in the sky, much as a dream over Fort Mile and then straight in through the Gate.

He had accomplished his purpose. He passed over Fort Point and steered for the aviation field as the

From the city the crowd acted when he rose in sight they had been permitted to keep track of Latham's movements from the time he left the ground. The telephones and the newspaper men had to think for that.

He soared so high when he came back over the field that for a time doubt in the minds of the crowd reached him.

He was so far up that not even the fabulous spun out of the monoplane machinery reached the ears of those below.

It was a sight to be remembered, for at an altitude of 3000 feet the aviator looked no larger than a red bird.

And to complete the similarity there [illegible] some of the birds [illegible] and flying seaward.

"Come back, Antoinette!" shouted a man in the crowd, and that was just the way it felt.

When Latham came down it was as plain [illegible] that he had been as much [illegible] as was the crowd. He was the red and the red [illegible].

He made his ship through the Golden Gate and [illegible] city calmly [illegible] the Englishman's thirty-five.

Like a Seagull Birdman Flew Over The Golden Gate

(By HUBERT LATHAM).

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Radley flew out over the bay of San Francisco today and when I heard he had done this I decided to follow through the Golden Gate.

"Where is the Golden Gate?" I asked them, and when they told me in which direction it lay I turned the prow of my Antoinette for it.

I am the first man they tell me, to sail by the air through the Golden Gate.

I took a much different course from Radley, getting off the peninsula by the most direct course I could make and putting out over the ocean.

I kept over the ocean until I was well past the Heads. Then I turned around and sailed through the Gate just as a ship from over the sea would arrive. I could see the Seal Rocks and the Cliff House distinctly. The air was remarkably clear and my machine behaved nicely throughout the journey.

After sailing through the Gate I continued down the bay until I got well over the ferry tower, ground which I circled at an altitude of about a thousand feet. I could see tiny specks in the decks of the city animated with excitement, and I realized that probably more persons saw me when I was in the vicinity of the water front than saw me ascend from the aviation field.

When I returned to the field I fired with a revolver at wooden silhouettes in the center of the field for the observation of the military experts. I have shot a duck from my Antoinette before and I expect to shoot yet bigger game, but I was as interested in my trip through the Golden Gate as any feat I have performed since coming to this country.

The ride was a little cold at times when I was making for the Gate but all in all it was well worth the trouble.

English Aviator Flew High Above Warships in Bay

(By JAMES RADLEY.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—San Francisco from the air is a most interesting city to view.

I think I ought to know, for I flew over the city in my monoplane today and saw it as the birds see it.

When I left the aviation field after circling the ground three or four times I made direct for the bay. The air was markedly good for a flight, and the absence of strong currents made flying delightful.

When I got out on the bay and swung over toward Goat Island I began playing tag with the ferry boats. I followed three of them up and down for a distance of several hundred yards each. The sun was shining, there was little or no haze to speak of, and I could see the passengers in the boats waving and cheering at me. I was up too high, of course, to get anything but the faintest echoes of the cheering.

After soaring over the ferry boats I circled around the warships in the harbor. I could have dropped bombs on the decks of these vessels had I had them along with me.

I think more people saw me flying over the city than had seen any aviator who sailed here before, and I was naturally a bit pleased to know that I was the first air pilot to provide that form of exhibition in San Francisco.

If the same conditions of today prevail throughout the meeting I am of the opinion that new aviation records will be registered.

HORSES CAN'T RUN: FARMER FIXES 'EM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Frank Fisher of [illegible] Wash., has invented a new [illegible] device by which [illegible] horses can run only in a circle. The invention is designed to [illegible] horses from running away [illegible] the road.

If just before [illegible] reaches a point where [illegible] feels that the oncoming [illegible] is not to exhibit with the wagon [illegible] weeks for [illegible] he is [illegible] to [illegible] that [illegible] will be [illegible].

"ASSAULT" VICTIM.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 7.—Constable Fred A. Jewett was today awarded one cent by Judge Stone in the suit for $500 against Patrolman Patrick Healy for assault. Healy had placed his hand on Donovan's shoulder, taking him for a thief.

OAKLAND TRACTION DIVIDENDS MAY BE SUSPENDED

Syndicate Trade Plan Devotes Earnings to Many Proposed Extennsions.

AUTHORIZED STATEMEN T IS MADE BY DIRECTOR

Attitude of F M. Smith Towards Holders of Stock Strongly Favorable to Them.

"In the issuance of this much-d scussed letter by H M Webster to the holders of Oakland Traction preferred stock there is no ground for suspicion of ulterior motives The letter was issued at the suggestion of Frank M Smith and the offer to exchange Realty Syndicate certificates for traction preferred stock was made because Mr Smith wished to protect the interests of certain people who had been induced to purchase traction stocks because of his connection with the concern and who might be dependent on the earnings of this stock for their daily bread said Nat M Crossley manager of the Realty Syndicate yesterday

The publication in THE TRIBUNE of the rumor current in Oakland that the offer of exchange was but a scheme to unload Syndicate certificates and gather in Traction preferred stock caused a considerable flurry among the holders of such stock and the offices of the Syndicate and Traction company were besieged throughout the day by people anxious an explanation of the offer contained in Webster's letter

EARNINGS FOR IMPROVEMENTS

'The directors of the Traction company have seriously considered the advisability of using all of the earnings of the road for much needed improvements said Crossley If they should do this it will mean that dividends will not be issued The dividends on preferred stock would accumulate or could but would not be forthcoming at present time

'When the stocks of the Traction company were first issued they were sold to the public generally and much money was subscribed by men of small means clerks school teachers and salespeople Many of these small holder of stock are more or less dependent on the earnings of the stocks and the passing of dividends might cause them great inconvenience

It is these people whom Smith wished to assist He wished to provide for them an investment for their money that would be equally safe and valuable and that would not deprive them of their quarterly or annual dividend So he suggested that the offer of exchange be made The letter was issued by Webster because he is in charge of that branch of our business not as a broker but as a salaried official of the company

RETIREMENT OF CERTIFICATES

"The preferred stock and the certificates are equally valuable but the 6 per cent interest on the certificates is certain to be paid and the certificates will be retired at certain times while the 6 per cent interest on the stock although it accumulates if not paid may be withheld for some time during which all of the earnings of the Traction company will be used for extensions I have advised all who asked my information to hold on to their Traction stock if they do not actually have to have the money earned by their investment

NEW ORLEANS IS PLAYING POLITICS

Petty Methods Are Used in the Effort to Defeat San Francisco

WASHINGTON Jan 7—Partisan politics is the latest game that is being played in New Orleans supporters in their effort to land the world's Panama exposition for the Southern city The leading Democrats who are in favor of San Francisco in former Congressman Julius Kahn's district are said to be enlisted on the Southern side and are using their influence with the administration Democratic party

This is the first time that partisan politics has been brought into the exposition fight The California delegation is determined from making it a political issue nevertheless telling voters in the local theory that a western metropolis was the only city for the celebration of the world's event

There are a number of Republicans who have begged Taft in New Orleans sake to keep hands off the movement so as not to hurt New Orleans in its political fight if it finally will go into the San Francisco camp It is known that the administration officials at the same time are anxious to keep in with the people of New Orleans in order that they will be friendly with the Democratic party in the next national campaign

Congressman Kahn and the California delegation in conference with the possibility of meeting the House Committee on Rules to push the Panama matter before adjournment Saturday decided that the committee could not report the resolution to that effect would be a waste of time as the Senate would not act on the bill before March 4 when the Democrats would be in control of the House and in disposition of the Democratic party

CARNEGIE MAKES GIT OF $25,000

University of Southern California Is Enabled to Wipe Out Its Indebtedness.

LOS ANGELES Jan 7—Andrew Carnegie has donated $25 000 to the University of Southern California This fund plus the $25 000 raised by the university itself in compliance with the terms of the donation wipes out the debt of the institution

Coincident with the news of Mr Carnegie's munificent gift came the announcement from President George F Bovard that the university authorities are to launch at once a campaign to boost the endowment fund to a round $1,000,000

SOCIETY VAUDEVILLE STUNTS IN THE BEHALF OF CHARITY

Women and children who are interested in the vaudeville performance which will be given Tuesday evening in the Macdonough Theater.

Entertainment Will Be Given at Macdonough Tuesday Night

On both sides of the bay there is much talk about the vaudeville performance which will be given Tuesday evening in the Macdonough theater for the benefit of the Ladies Relief society of Alameda The tickets for the show which are on sale at the box office of the theater are being disposed of rapidly and success is predicted for the affair

Many of the smart folk of Alameda county will occupy boxes and according to reports the house will be filled with the leading philanthropists club and society people of this city

SUBSTANTIAL SUM EXPECTED

It is predicted that the event will net a substantial sum to the home and the outlook for the future of the orphans and aged women who dwell there will be bright this year There are at the present time 67 children 29 women and 17 babies in the care of the Ladies Relief Society

OFFICERS OF SOCIETY

The officers, directors and managers of the Ladies' Relief Society are

Mrs E G Mathews honorary director Miss Matilda Brown president Mrs Mamie First vice president Mrs Wellman second vice-president Miss A J Miller treasurer Mrs Spencer Brown recording secretary Miss Campbell corresponding secretary

Advisory board—I L Barker Charles Butters C M Macgregor W S Nost Harrison Clay G F Beardsley and C O Mills

Legal adviser—D V Campbell Esq Medical adviser—Dr Howard Lackey

Directors—Mrs R C Brown Mrs Spencer Browne Miss Matilda Brown Miss Bakewell Miss Campbell Mrs Helen Campbell Mrs Louise de Freitas Mrs H S Keegan Mrs Jeffers Mrs Mrs D H Mathes Miss A Mrs Mrs J A Wellman Mrs B Willis Mrs F F Weston Mrs Henry Wadsworth

Managers—Mrs Charles Butters Mrs A H Breed Mrs A F Cornwall Mrs F M Greenwood Mrs L H Curtis Miss Lena McGraw Mrs Emma Clark Miss Lizbeth Gill Mrs W Hinshaw Mrs I A Hill Mrs Thomas Hunt Miss Nina Crellin Mrs H Hall Mrs D F Valentine and Mrs Frank Stringham

LIVING PICTURES

The prettiest scenes that can be secured will be worked by the society women who will portray the living pictures The most beautiful women in this city have been selected by Frank Mathieu the Bohemian club coach for the artistic pictures to which will impersonate the historical and modern characters Mrs Beach Soule Italian peasant Miss Eleanor Hinshaw Madame Lecompte Miss Lucy Dean Casey Girl Mrs Harry Coleman Gypsy Miss Lois Madrid Spanish Dancer Miss Carrie Adams Kentucky Belle Mrs Treat Weston the Duchess of Devonshire Miss Natalie Hunt of San Francisco Mrs Stow Mrs Ali Clement and Miss Edward Peabody Irish Peasant girl Miss Shirley Van Wyck Mrs W Arthur Mrs Siddons

FARCE COMEDY

One of the latest creations from the brain of Lucile Clothiers entitled The Lure of a comedy in one act will be given by the following cast

Jack Horsfield Harris Allen Mrs Grace Norton Miss Lawrence Jones Miss Ray Miss Katherine McMahon Miss Emmingwell Miss Charlotte Miss Marsey Miss Helen Beckwith Miss Tribbet Miss Allen H Babcock Jamieson Mrs Harold W Clapp

Among the orchestra selections will be Nymphs and Fauns by Bemberg Matthews Mr Lady Color African love song C Leighter

FEATURES OF PROGRAM

Spanish dance by Mrs Louis P Heyneman Miss Dodge Miss Florence Fleishman Margaret Mau Gladys Gerrish and Ellen Forner musical monologue Miss Josephine S White

Songs and dances by a company headed by Harold Bissett and Lola Kenny The performers will be Albertine Perley Hume Harold Marjorie Perry Austen Willard Spencer Smith Taylor Frank Baxter Jack Martin Stanley Hall MacLennan Francis Ramsey Dole Hubland Margaret Moore and Donald McClure

Thinks Business Outlook Poor

NEW YORK Jan 7—James J Hill was at the New York office of the Great Northern railroad today on his return from a trip to the Pacific coast His opinion of the business situation and outlook generally has not changed since he gave out pessimistic interviews here and in St Paul a few weeks ago

Wise caution is still in his estimation the attitude of business men throughout the country Trade is not any brisker than it was a year ago but he would not say that a depression need be feared Mr Hill holds that industrial and railway activity will wake up again

YEAR'S APPOINTEES ARE ANNOUNCED BY M'CARTHY

Mayor of San Francisco Retires Bannerman and Whelan From School Board.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—The Mayor came out his list of appointments for the new year today making no change in any one of the municipal boards or commissions except the Board of Education In this body James E Power commander of the League of the Cross Cadets has been appointed to succeed Thomas R Bannerman Taylo appointee whose term has expired while H C Vaughn photographer succeeds Richard I Whelan Mayor McCarthys appointee of last January who has resigned with three years of his term yet to run

With the exception of Thomas V Cator of the Election Commission the other commissioners whose terms now expire the Mayor McCarthy's own appointees and all of them are given new terms Commissioner Cator from Mayor McCarthy inherited from Mayor Taylor also retains his place

LIST OF APPOINTMENTS

The following is the complete list of the appointments and reappointments as announced today

Board of Education—James E Power four years vice Thomas R Bannerman term expired H C Vaughn three years vice Richard I Whelan resigned

Board of Public Works—C S Laumeister four years succeeding himself

Police Commission—T H Spiro four years succeeding himself

Election Commission—Thomas V Cator, four years succeeding himself

Civil Service Commission—B B Rosenthal four years succeeding himself

Fire Commission—W H Bemiss four years succeeding himself

All of the appointments and reappointments become effective under the law on January 8 today but the formal installation ceremonials goes over until Monday

PLAYGROUND BOARD STANDS

Neither appointment nor reappointment was necessary in the Playground Commission since that body has not yet been in existence long enough for the term of any member to expire In any case Mayor McCarthy would not have made any change in the personnel of the board the present membership being apparently satisfactory to him

There will be one new ex-officio member however as soon as the board of education has reorganized since the charter provides that the president of the school board shall by virtue of his position become a member of the Playground Commission as does the Park superintendent also Until the expected fight over the board of education precedent has come off and been settled it is not known whether a Taylor holdover or a new McCarthy school director shall go on the playground board

Mrs. Fennell Missing; Summons Issued

FRESNO Jan 7—The attorneys for Jay Allen Fiske of New York are unable to find Mrs Amanda J Fennell one of the defendants in the case brought by young Fiske against the Fresno Estate Company for recovery of property in this city Superior Judge Church today ordered publication of summons

The suit will come up for trial early in February It is believed that Mrs Fennell is now in New York

LIFE IN AMERICA IS SET AT FAR TOO HOT A PACE

Strenuous Gait, Worry and Fret Are Not Favorable to Longevity.

NEW YORK Jan 7—'We in America live too fast to live long' said Dr Samuel G Tracy, founder of the Health and Longevity Club in New York

"We work too hard play too hard drink too much, eat too much and worry and fret too necessarily

'However' he continued 'we are much better off than many other countries in respect to length of life In Germany only one out of every 700 000 people is a centenarian In France the proportion is one in 186 000 And even in Great Britain but one out of 175 000 touches the century mark You see our chances are five times as good as John Bull's

NO SWISS CENTENARIAN

In all Switzerland with a population of over 3 000 000 there is not one centenarian

Bulgaria says Dr Tracy, is a happy home for the aged because most of the population are farming folks who lead a simple natural life and because they are happy

It is infinitely easier to influence a legislature to appropriate money for the purpose of extinguishing hog cholera than it is to establish a research laboratory for the prevention of disease or to pass laws to compel corporations to adopt humane means for the prevention of violent accidents

America has a better chance than any of the great civilized nations to produce a strong race Dr Tracy asserted Climatic conditions are generally favorable Generally speaking outdoor occupations are more favorable to longevity Whatever work is done, there should be a sufficiency of sleep Between seven and eight hours is none too much for most people Amusement should be a definite factor in one's life as a humdrum existence is only too apt to end in suicide

When asked how old a person should live to be Dr Tracy said

'Nearly all members of the animal kingdom exist for at least five times the number of years it takes them to reach their prime Now the human being lives fullest development at the average age of twenty-five years Then following the analogy it would seem that human life under proper conditions, should last at least 125 years

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Monster Aeroplane May Be Constructed

DETROIT Mich Jan 7—The Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Company announces that it has obtained a five passenger aeroplane for its aerial division, which it hopes to put into operation next summer It is the invention of a Kalamazoo Mich man If it is successful it will be used for trips to Cleveland and Buffalo No attempt will be made at the outset to maintain a regular schedule

OAKLAND TRIBUNE, Oakland's greatest evening newspaper, assures its advertisers that the circulation of this paper reaches every day over 200 000 readers

Adjutant-General Makes Up His Force

SACRAMENTO Jan 7—Adjutant General I N Forbes appointed by Governor Johnson to succeed General J B Lauck assumed office today He announced the following appointments

Major J F Cowan with the rank of Colonel chief of the general staff Captain Alexander Bell Aid-de-camp Captain J A Shorb Quartermaster Miss Alice M Campbell stenographer Captain David Bridge military storekeeper Lieutenant Hill state military secretary Colonel Hall

The only change in the office from that of Captain Hall Sheriff of Sacramento is the selection of Major John M Hill as clerk

Why should a woman be suspicious of any one who tries to shake hands with her? Chicago Daily News

City of Paris

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Great White Sale

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BILL IS INTRODUCED AIMED AGAINST SHIP TRUST

Humphrey Wishes to Break Up Combine of Foreigners.

KNOWLAND ALSO HAS A SIMILAR MEASURE

His Proposition Would Prevent Common Carriers Owning Stock in Others.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Representative Humphrey of Washington introduced a bill today that provides for the exclusion from United States ports of every foreign vessel in combinations controlling rates. The Postmaster General is directed to cancel any existing contract with a steamship company or vessel owners connected with a combination or pool.

Almost at the same time Representative Knowland of California dropped into the legislative hopper a bill carrying heavy penalties against any railroad or common carrier that owns stock in or controls any water carrier with which it competes. The water carrier likewise is prohibited from owning stock of a railroad.

FOLLOW NEW YORK SUIT.

These measures come on the heels of the government suit begun in New York by District Attorney Wise for the dissolution of the Atlantic pool under the Sherman anti-trust law. The Department of Justice through Attorney General Wickersham, is directing the suit.

Mr. Humphrey, who is pressing vigorously for a subsidy for American ships, has been in close touch with Attorney General Wickersham during the preliminary investigation of the shipping pool. He urged the prosecution of the so-called Baltic pool, formed by foreign steamships trading at Atlantic ports and was disappointed when the government was powerless to help itself.

"Since the government has brought suit," said Mr. Humphrey, "the foreign ship combine admits every charge made against it. The only answer is that the United States has no jurisdiction and therefore it can continue as it pleases.

"The condition that exists as to passengor rates prevail also in the freight traffic. The rate on every pound of freight and every passenger carried between here and Europe and between here and South America is fixed by agreements made in advance by this foreign monopoly.

"There is not the slightest competition betwen the foreign steamships running from this county upon either ocean. Not only are rates fixed by agreement, but these foreign lines give rebates and other advantages to favored shippers. Special rates are given by them to the Standard Oil, to the steel trust and to the harvester combine to such an extent that competitors are absolutely excluded from competing with them in foreign countries.

PRACTICE EVERY METHOD.

"There is not a single method ever used by any of the great corporations of this country to destroy competition, increase prices and create monopoly that is not today practiced by the combination of foreign ships.

"This combination of foreign ships is the greatest trust in the world and the foreign trade of this country is absolutely at its mercy."

The bill provides that any vessel not of the United States, which is operated in combination to fix freight and passenger rates or gives rebates to favored shippers, is prohibited from entering or clearing from any port of the United States under penalty of $200 for each passenger and for forfeiture of cargo.

WOULD KNOW VOTE TO UNSEAT LORIMER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Whether it would require a two-thirds vote or only a majority of the senate to unseat Lorimer as a senator from Illinois is a question that has arisen in the contest about to be waged.

The answer rests upon whether the opposition to Lorimer seeks to connect him with any corrupt practices or merely attempts to show that he was the beneficiary of corruption for which he was not responsible.

Senators who have made close studies of election contest cases seem to agree that if the resolution to unseat Lorimer should contend that he was principally involved in the bribery charges that have been investigated, the only course would be to vote on the question of expulsion, to carry which two-thirds of the senate would have to be recorded in the affirmative.

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Chinese Actress Has Made Hit in London Playhouse

MADAME CHUNG and her children, who are fascinating London audiences in "The Dragon of Wrath."

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Madame Chung is the fascinating little actress whose performance in "The Dragon of Wrath," attracts all London to Miss Gertrude Kingston's pretty little theater. The piece is charming and the stage picture one of the most beautiful ever seen in London. Madame Chung, who is China's premier actress is already proving herself an enormous favorite in London theatrical circles.

Her little children particularly the smaller one, acted with great spirit, especially at the meal, which forms one of the features of the play. They were received with great enthusiasm by the feminine portion of the audience on the first night.

Madame Chung's tiny feet also attract much attention as they are exactly three inches long.

HOLTSLAW HANDS IN RESIGNATION TO DENEEN

Illinois Senator, a Confessed Briber, Sends Curt Note Giving Up Place.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 7.—Governor Deneen received today a formal letter of resignation from Senator L. W. Holstlaw of Iuka, who had confessed having received a bribe in the Lorimer affair.

Governor Deneen said he would present Senator Holstlaw's letter to the Senate next Tuesday. The letter was brief to the point of curtness. It said: "I hereby tender my resignation as Senator from the Forty-second district. Said resignation to be in effect from December 31, 1910.

"Yours truly,
"D. W. HOLSTLAW,
"Iuka, Ill."

TWO INDICTED.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 7.—Secretary of State James B. Pearce, who recently was indicted on a misdemeanor charge, and Constable Frank Kratke were indicted today by the Denver county grand jury on felony charges. Secretary Pearce declined recently to permit representatives of State Auditor Kenehan's office to examine the secretary's accounts, and it is supposed the indictment grew out of this controversy.

Commercial Court Advocated in N. Y.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The establishment of a commercial court for the voluntary settlement of business disputes among merchants was decided upon by the New York Chamber of Commerce. The court may hear all business disputes among members of the board and by prior written agreements to be entered into by both parties to any controversy its judgments will be as effective as those of the Supreme Court. Expedition in the settlement of business disputes, often delayed for years in courts of law, is one of the objects sought.

Notes of People and Events in Russell City

RUSSELL CITY, Jan. 7.—The public school will reopen on January 16.

The Ladies' Lutheran Aid Society will meet with Mrs. J. C. With, Thursday.

Chris Skow and wife of Alvarado spent the New Year holidays with Juel Christiansen and family.

Miss Annie Asmussen of Oakland spent the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Tucker and daughter Amy visited with relatives in Castro Valley Sunday.

Miss Gerty Christiansen of San Lorenzo spent Wednesday at the home of her parents here.

Harold Prendergast of Castro Valley spent his vacation with relatives here.

Rev. Bissell Returns From Holiday Visit

SAN LORENZO, Jan. 7.—Pastor F. A. Bissell of the San Lorenzo Union Church, who with his wife has been spending several weeks, including the holiday season, at Claremont, Los Angeles county, where his brother is one of the faculty of Pomona College, has returned home and will preach services tomorrow. Mrs. Bissell will continue in the southern town for awhile longer.

HERR MAX KOHLER, the celebrated maker of artificial eyes, will visit Oakland February 12, 13 and 14, making headquarters at Chinn-Beretta Optical Company.

CHIEF WOULD KNOW WHEN PRISONERS ARE FREED

Seymour Wants Notification When Men He Has Arrested Are Paroled.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Chief of Police Seymour today on learning of the system of paroling prisoners at the county jail by the district attorney and the sheriff, acting as a parole board, declared it his belief that the chief of police of a city or the sheriff of a county from which they may hail should be notified.

The representations regarding the disposition of the several prisoners were made to the chief following his statement of yesterday that the courts were responsible for the continuance of crime and today he declared that he would investigate the disposition made of prisoners after they left his hands.

Chief Seymour is anxious to be just to all parties connected with the suppression of crime, but wants to be sure of his ground, and to learn, if possible, why more of the men arrested are not punished for their offenses.

Hayward Will Vote On School Proposition

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—An election has been called for January 28 to permit the electors of Hayward school district to decide the question as to whether a tax shall be voted to raise $7500 with which to build a schoolhouse to be known as the Fairview Ward School, to purchase grounds for same and to maintain the school for the school year 1911-1912. The polls are to be at Hayward Grammar school house, with Frank Lake, inspector and H. G. Walker and Frank J. Hofleng, judges.

Hard Times Dance to Be Given at Hayward

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—A "hard times" dance is to be given by Serpa's Union Band at I. D. F. S. Hall, Saturday, January 28. Extensive arrangements are being made for the affair which promises to be a large success.

LET "3 C" DRY WHOLE MILK be your "milkman." This product complies with the pure food laws and is free from disease germs. Ask your grocer for this milk.

MADE AIDE-DE-CAMP.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Second Lieutenant Owen S. Albright, Thirtieth infantry, has been directed to report to Brigadier-General Frederick Funston, U. S. A., for appointment to duty as aide-de-camp on his staff.

Extra Train Service Account of Aviation Meet South San Francisco by S. P. Co.

Commencing January 7th to the 16th inclusive, Southern Pacific Company will run trains from Third and Townsend street depot daily at 9:30 a. m., 11:00 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 1:00 p. m., 1:30 p. m., 2:15 p. m., and in addition to above service extra trains will run between the hours of 9:30 a. m. and 2:15 p. m. to take care of the traffic from Third and Townsend streets. For further information see S. P. agents, Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda, from which offices excursion tickets will be sold to the Park and into the Park.

OUR ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

The remarkable success that this sale has enjoyed—the great crowds of buyers that have thronged our store every day, are proof positive that the values are here. Our annual clearance sales are always the big bargain event of Oakland, because we offer only dependable merchandise and back up our advertising with genuine, substantial values.

It is to your interest to take early advantage of this great sale.

New Tailored Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Furs at

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We Never Advertise Mis-Statements—Never Exaggerate Values

$15 Tailored Suits
$6.95
$20.00 Tailored Suits ..$ 9.95
$25.00 Tailored Suits ..$12.45
$27.50 Tailored Suits ..$13.45

$30 Tailored Suits
$14.95
A very fine selection of the most serviceable materials in handsome styles — cheviots, serges, worsteds, tweeds and mixtures.
$32.50 Tailored Suits ..$16.95
$35.00 Tailored Suits ..$18.45

$40 Tailored Suits
$19.95
These are the finest quality of high-grade man-made Suits in broadcloth, finest tweeds, mixtures, serges, worsteds and cheviots. Skinner satin lined. Every color—every style.
$45.00 Tailored Suits ..$25.00
$50.00 Tailored Suits ..$27.50

$55 and $60 Novelty Suits
Exquisite designs and materials, faultlessly tailored.
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$10.00 Long Coats
$4.95
Black and Blue Military Coats and Novelty Mixtures.
$13.50 Long Coats .....$ 6.95
$15.00 Long Coats .....$ 8.45
$18.50 Long Coats .....$ 9.95
$22.50 Long Coats $12.45

$25 and $27.50 Novelty Coats
$14.95
$35.00 and $37.50 Novelty Coats $19.95
$40.00 and $45.00 Novelty Coats $25.00

FURS
Coats, Sets and Single Pieces.
½ Price

$17.50 Caracul Coats
$9.75
$25.00 Caracul Coats ...$14.95
Shawl collar; lined with guaranteed lining.
$35.00 Caracul Coats ...$19.95
$45.00 Caracul Coats ...$25.00
$50.00 Caracul Coats ...$29.50

$35.00 Plush Coats
$19.95
$45.00 Plush Coats $27.50
$55.00 Plush Coats $32.50
$50.00 Velvet Coats $25.00
$32.50 Crushed Plush Coats, ...$17.45

$18.50 Novelty Skirts
$9.95

$5.00 Dress Skirts
$1.95
Black and Blue Panama Dress Skirts in the latest effects.
$ 6.00 Dress Skirts $2.45
$ 7.00 Dress Skirts $2.95
$ 8.00 Dress Skirts $3.95
$10.00 Dress Skirts $4.95
$11.50 Dress Skirts $5.95
$13.50 Dress Skirts $7.45
$15.00 Dress Skirts $8.45

$10.00 Voile Skirts
$4.95
Handsomely trimmed.
$6.00 Voile Skirts $2.95
$12.50 Voile Skirts $5.95
$13.50 Voile Skirts $6.95
$15.00 Voile Skirts $8.95
$17.50 Voile Skirts $9.95
$20.00 Voile Skirts $12.45
$22.50 Voile Skirts $14.95

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YACHT NARROWLY ESCAPED SHELLS

Non-Magnetic Carnegie in the Midst of Mutiny at Rio de Janeiro.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—With the story of how the non-magnetic yacht Carnegie narrowly escaped destruction in the harbor of Rio de Janeiro when the Brazilian navy mutinied and fired on the city, Joseph G. White, one of the crew of the Carnegie, arrived in this city today.

The Carnegie left Green Point, L. I., June 21. She was going around the world to correct the magnetic variations on the charts. She was built especially for the work and not a bit of steel or iron was used in her construction. She was made of aluminum and bronze.

"On the day of the mutiny of the sailors on the Brazilian battleships at Rio," said White, "the Carnegie was lying at anchor between the war vessels and the city. The first intimation of any disturbance reached us when shells began to scream low over our heads into the city.

FELT WIND OF SHELLS.

"We could not understand what had happened, but we saw at once that we were in a position of peril. The big guns from the mutinous ships were sending their fire straight across us. At times the wind of a shell could be felt on our decks.

"Our engines were out of commission and we had no means of getting out of the path of the fire. There was no wind.

"Lying off shore from us was an English cruiser. We signaled her for aid and she slipped her chains and came down toward us. We weighed anchor and got a line aboard of her and she towed us out of danger. Had one of those shells come a few feet lower the government might have found itself up against a serious situation with the Brazilian authorities.

WOODMEN WILL INSTALL OFFICERS

Prominent Officers of Society to Conduct Exercises at San Lorenzo.

SAN LORENZO, Jan. 7.—An open installation of officers of Old Orchard Camp No. 142, Woodmen of the World, will be held on the evening of January 12, when Head Manager Robinson, District Organizer Hughes, Charles Harvey, Peter Wilbert, Elmer Welsh, Oscar H. Gansberger and others will make addresses.

Miss Annie Rippe, who holds a responsible position with an Oakland firm, will begin a month's leave of absence Monday, during which she will visit in the East.

Miss Dorothy Gansberger is the guest of her cousins, the Misses Moles of Castro Valley.

Mrs. Emanuel George, wife of the popular Deputy County Assessor of Washington Township, and son Lawrence, were the guests of Mrs. F. R. Rose Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grances returned home after spending the holidays with relatives in Calaveras county, their daughter, Ethel, remaining for two weeks longer.

Miss Adelaide Picanco visited with friends in San Jose, returning home Friday.

To Open New Library Branch

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—The new North Berkeley branch of the free library will open on next Monday at quarters on the corner of Vine and Shattuck. Miss M. Dunbar will be in charge.

BORROWER SUES MONEY LENDERS

Says He Gave $4000 Notes to Secure $1600; Wants Them Back.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Louis A. Lauenstein, one of the heirs of the late Caroline Lauenstein, filed suit in the superior court today against Herman Murphy and Henry S. Bridge, money lenders, to enjoin them from claiming his interests in the Lauenstein estate.

Lauenstein admits that on May 6 he borrowed $600 from Murphy & Bridge and at their demand assigned to them his claim in the Lauenstein estate as a guarantee of the debt. He admits that later he borrowed other sums from the two aggregating $1000.

Lauenstein now complains that the money lenders compelled him to sign promissory notes to the value of $4000, but that he received only a small portion of this amount in actual loans. He asks the court to determine exactly how much he owes Murphy & Bridge and for the cancellation of the surplus promissory notes and for an injunction against the defendants to compel them to desist from claiming his interest in the Caroline Lauenstein estate.

Lauenstein says the estate is worth more than $60,000 and his interest as an heir at law is one-seventh.

In a similar suit filed in conjunction with the one against Murphy & Bridge, Lauenstein makes similar charges against Murphy and F. Lafaix. In this suit he says the two defendants claim he owes them $3000 and that in reality he only borrowed $1000 from them.

Attorney Plans Fine Residence in Hayward

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—Attorney T. A. Perkins of San Francisco has purchased through a local realty firm 11.54 acres of the Jacob Frederickson property, located on Fairview avenue, and has stated that he intends to transform the land into a beautiful suburban home.

Elliott H. Ethelidge, local reporter for Judge Lawlor's department in San Francisco, has purchased 5.16 acres of the Castro Valley orchards, facing on the Redwood road. Mr. and Mrs. Ethelidge will soon improve the property and will spend their summers thereon.

FUNERAL IS HELD.

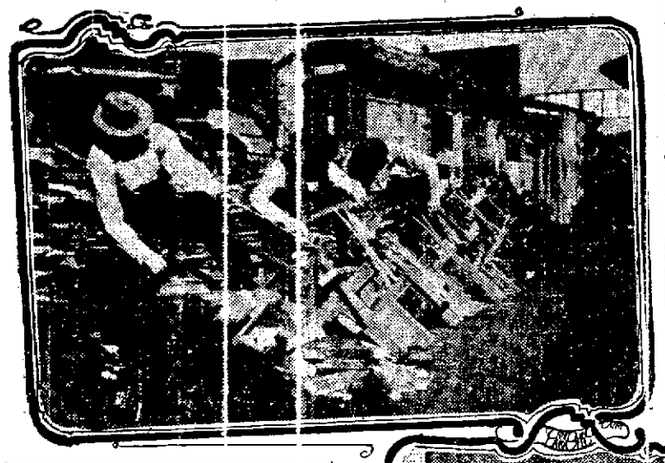
ALAMEDA, Jan. 7. — The funeral of Albert D. Whiting, the accomplished young musician who died Thursday, was held from the funeral parlors of Smiley & Gallagher this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Frank S. Brush, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, conducting the service. Interment was in Mountain View cemetery.

Welcome to Thousands

Prescription for Indigestion That Has Done Wonders in Hospital Work.

This is the formula that has created a furore in the medical profession on account of its remarkable effectiveness in the treatment of stomach troubles. It acts differently from anything else ever tried for this widespread ailment, almost immediately relieving distress after eating, sour stomach, belching, dizziness and headaches. If used for sufficient time it will cure the worst case of dyspepsia: "Two ounces essence of pepsin, three ounces syrup of ginger; one ounce catandir compound. Mix and take one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bedtime." Catandir always comes put up in ounce sealed packages. Any druggist should have it in stock by this time or he will quickly get it from his wholesale house. For best results mix the pepsin and the ginger, then let stand about an hour before adding the catandir. It will be more convenient to get the ingredients from the druggist and mix them at home. Any one with stomach trouble should get this without delay.

FEDERATION WOODYARD AIDS MEN SEEKING EMPLOYMENT



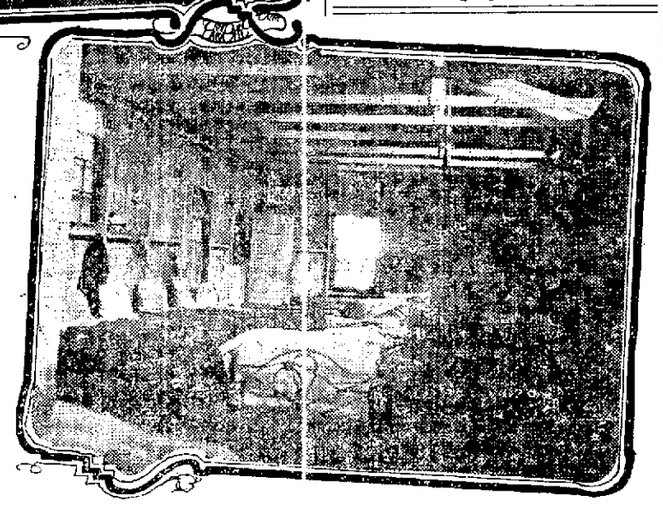
Notable Charity Extends Generous Succor to Unemployed

A worthy and unique adjunct of the Church Federation of Oakland is that organization's Federation Woodyard, being operated at 360 Sixth street and giving to scores of homeless and penniless men employment that will enable them to care for themselves while seeking more remunerative and permanent work. It is the old tramp's woodpile systemized to keep the wayfarer out of jail, when otherwise he would be in danger to being arrested as a vagrant and sentenced to "do time" on the municipal chaingang. By four or five hours of labor each day these men earn a bed and two good meals, the remainder of their time being spent, if they are in earnest about wanting to secure employment, in searching for other work.

The Federation's Woodyard is a "beacon light on the stormy sea" for many a wanderer who in all probability otherwise would be taken "under the clock" in the police patrol wagon and the next morning find himself working as a municipal prisoner. There a man get a shower bath, his clothes fumigated and he gets a bed and enough substantial food to make him feel like a man again. In return for this he is required to cut kindling and stove wood, and to give some idea of what is being done at the woodyard in the way of taking care of persons who apply there for help it may be said that during December 2717 meals and 1075 lodgings were worked for. Since there are but fifty-four beds it can be seen at a grance how continuously they were occupied during the closing month of 1910.

This charity takes money and the revenue that sustains it is derived from the sale of kindling, stove wood and coal of the very best grades. To direct consumers the Federation Woodyard sells books, for $1 each containing ten coupons, each of which calls for any kind of fuel desired at a very moderate charge. Orders sent in by telephone—"Oakland 7285" or "A1442"—will receive prompt attention. But coupons are not essential to good treatment if a customer calls at the woodyard. In that event he will be waited on promptly and courteously.

The Federation Woodyard, however, prefers to sell coupon books. Each book guarantees a steady customer and can be had in any number for the asking. These books are on sale at the woodyard and at the Associated Charities, 508 Broadway.



Calisthenics in the Federation woodyard and scene in dormitory maintained there.

HAYTIAN FINANCES STILL INVOLVE CONTROVERSY

Plan to Make American Interests of Secondary Moment Annoys Washington.

STATE DEPARTMENT INSISTS ON DEMANDS

European Capital Will Not Be Allowed to Control Republic's Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Another financial situation in Latin-America, which is seriously engaging the attention of the State Department, with a view to protecting American interests, is the confused monetary condition of Hayti.

It is proposed by Hayti to substitute for the Haytien national bank, a French corporation, which controls the financial dealings of the country, a similar banking concession to be granted to a group of German, French and American bankers, the German interests predominating.

Some time ago the United States protested against the proposed arrangement on the ground that American interests were not properly protected. Since then the Haytien government has made some modifications in its original plan, but the changes have not been sufficient, in the opinion of the State Department, to warrant the withdrawal of the American protest.

In connection with the national bank concession, Hayti is endeavoring to float a loan to fund its interior debt.

Electrolier System Project Is Indorsed

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—The North Side Improvement Club at its meeting last night approved the recommendation of a committee appointed to look into the matter of the installation of electroliers along Lincoln avenue, the property owners to pay 20 cents a front foot and the city to bear the balance of the expense.

The club also took up the matter of planting trees on both sides of Webster street in order to beautify that highway, it being the main entrance to the city from Oakland. M. H. Dunn, president of the local body, is experimenting with trees which would thrive in the soil on Webster street.

Ground Broken for New School Building

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—Ground was broken this morning at Santa Clara avenue and Eighth street for the new Washington school by the contractors, Kirk & Miller, and work will progress as rapidly as possible. The Alameda improvement Club will have charge of the cornerstone laying exercises and will make the occasion a fitting one. An elaborate program will be arranged by the club and educators from the east bay cities will be invited to participate. The new school will be one of the finest and best equipped in the State and will cost $60,000.

California Products Enroute via Panama

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Farmers [illegible] shipment of their products [illegible] passengers and a [illegible] freight.

The American Hawaiian Company [illegible] left for Salina Cruz [illegible] cargo, much of which [illegible] the products to be transhipped [illegible] Tehuantepec Railroad [illegible] ports.

The Boyd & Cleaveland Company [illegible] Dollar has a cargo [illegible] merchandise for [illegible] Islands. It is [illegible] barley.

Found Watch in His Pocket, Prisoner Says

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Harry Durand pleaded guilty to grand larceny today in Judge Cabaniss' court and immediately afterward told the court that, while on the battery street with Detective Louis Segarani, they quarreled over a missed bus watch. When Durand got out of the place he discovered the missing watch in his pocket. He went on his way back to give the loser his property, he said, when Segarani had the arrested. Judge Cabaniss gave Durand one year in San Quentin.

The defendant is 25 years of age and married. He has a good record, but the court refused to place him on probation.

BAN ON NEWSPAPERS.

GRENOBLE, Spain, Jan. 7.—The Bishop of Grenoble has issued a decree forbidding the reading of two local newspapers, on the ground that they are hostile to the Catholic church.

FEAR BIG TONG WAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Four shots were fired in St. Louis alley, between Dupont and Stockton streets, early this morning. The police believe highbinders have begun a tong war.

UNITED STATES TO KEEP PEACE IN HONDURAS

Reciprocal Arrangement in the Treaty Will Have a Moral Obligation.

FORTY MILLION WILL BE LOANED, IS CLAIM

Financial Agent to Hold Conference with President and Secretary Knox.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The United States proposes to put into the form of a treaty with Honduras the reciprocal arrangement necessary to make that republic "the strong Honduras" to which the President referred in his message to Congress. The treaty will be a binding moral obligation on the United States to maintain peace in the buffer state.

Juan Paredes, the financial agent of Honduras, has not yet called at the state department since his arrival recently in Washington. His appointment has been postponed by reason of the occupation at the time of Secretary Knox and the President with the Canadian reciprocity commissioners. He will, however, call Monday, when the whole subject will be discussed with Secretary Knox.

AMOUNT NOT KNOWN.

It is impossible to obtain from official sources the exact amount of the loan which it is proposed to make to Honduras. It is understood that the $10,000,000 which was spoken of in recent dispatches, refers only to the amount due to certain American private interests. This does not take into account the conversion of the debt of Honduras, which amounts to $120,000,000. It is stated on seemingly good authority that the total loan will amount to about $40,000,000, to be paid in periods of years which are now matters of negotiation.

The following was given out today at the state department:

REPORTS ALL QUIET.

"In addition to the telegram to Mr. McCreary stating that there was no uprising in Honduras, Commander Hughes, in charge of the Yorktown at Amapala on the Pacific coast, states that notwithstanding rumors of possible trouble there is no disturbance reported and that all is quiet there. Consul Dawson and Commander Hughes report the rumored occupation of Roatan island by the Bonilla forces.

Speeders Are Fined in Berkeley Court

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—Fines were imposed upon three automobile speeders by Judge Edgar this morning. The city treasury has been enriched to the amount of $95 in the past two days. Today Robert Dickson was fined $50, Stanley N. Ville $20, William Hoyt $25, Edward J. Harris $10.

Thirteen automobile drivers were fined yesterday afternoon by Judge Edgar.

Youth Dies Following Severe Epileptic Fit

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—Henry Clem, whose home was in Fruitvale, was stricken by an epileptic fit in Lincoln Park this afternoon and died a few hours later at the Emergency Hospital. Clem, who is about 17 years of age, was partially paralyzed and was watching the children on the gymnastic apparatus when he was seized with a fit. He fell to the ground unconscious and was rushed to the Emergency Hospital in the police ambulance.

IMPERIAL COTTON BOUND FOR CHINA

The Mongolia to Carry a Record Breaking Cargo and Many Asiatics.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—When the Pacific liner Mongolia sails from pier No. 42 at 1 p. m. Monday she will not only have a big passenger list, but will carry one of the largest cargoes ever taken out of the port, 15,000 tons.

The principal item will be 10,503 bales of Oklahoma and Texas cotton and 500 bales from the Imperial district of Southern California.

The other freight includes 375 tons of flour, 200 tons of California hay, 1000 tons of lumber, 500 rolls of leather, 5 automobiles and 10,000 packages of general merchandise.

The Mongolia will have 225 cabin and 200 steerage passengers, the latter being mostly Asiatics. The first class list are Colonel John Hayes, proprietor of an Oakland paper and former American Minister to Chile, going on a tour of the Far East; Judge A. S. Farnsworth, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Honolulu; Miss Hardwell, Eng Hok Tong, manager of the Eng Hok Poong Steamship Company, returning to Honolulu; Mrs. Amos P. Wilder, wife of the American Consul at Shanghai, and her four children; R. Anderson and Mrs. Anderson of Davenport, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. J. Bassmer of Sealcage and Mr. and Mrs. Hull Beecher of New York, who will spend several months touring the Orient. Beecher, a grandson of Henry Ward Beecher, claims that he alone spells the family name properly.

Another party consists of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Morrow and Mrs. William H. Kistenbeck of Philadelphia.

The Mongolia came from drydock Friday afternoon, and in order to have her ready hundreds of men are working night and day.

Iroquois Club Elects New Set of Officers

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The Iroquois Club held its twenty-eighth annual election this evening in its rooms in the Pacific building. The following were elected:

Robert A. Laurin, president; Thomas P. Finnegan, first vice-president; William H. Gleason, second vice-president; Thomas J. Walsh, recording secretary; Thomas M. Searl, financial secretary; N. J. Manson, corresponding secretary; James J. Flinn, treasurer.

Trustees—For two-year term: Max Popper, Edgar Atherton and E. B. Carr; one-year term, Simeon S. Bayley.

Addresses were made by M. C. Hassett, S. S. Bayley, E. R. Zion, William H. Gleason and Robert A. Laurin, all predicting the success of the National Democracy in 1912. The chairman appointed a committee to make arrangements for the twenty-seventh annual banquet on Washington's Birthday.

PLAN WHIST TOURNEY.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—Encinal Parlor No. 156, N. D. G. W., will give a whist party Wednesday night at Woodman Hall, and many handsome pieces of hand-painted china will be offered as prizes. The committee in charge has prepared a program of music for the occasion.

BANKERS URGING PRESIDENT FOR LEGISLATION

Changes in Currency Laws Are Needed, They Inform Mr. Taft.

PROMINENT FINANCIERS DINE AT WHITE HOUSE

Chief Executive Hears Session Is Too Short for Any Action.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Several well known bankers of the country today urged the President to see if he could not persuade Congress to do something on the monetary question at the present session. The subject was talked over informally at a White House dinner tonight to which the President invited the bankers when he learned they were in the city.

Those at the dinner were J. P. Morgan of Chicago, Daniel G. Wing of Boston, and C. S. Fowe of Cincinnati. J. Laurence Laughlin of the University of Chicago's department of political economy and Representatives Weeks and Vreeland of the House committee on banking and currency were the other guests.

The bankers believe action ought to be had on the money question immediately, but before they leave Washington they probably will understand that it will be impossible to consider this subject during the short session.

New Schooner Has Engines Installed

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The steam schooner Fort Bragg just completed for the C. H. Higgins Company, has had her engines installed and was given a trial trip today.

The steamer Admiral Sampson, Captain Bartlett, sailed for Seattle today with a good sized passenger list. Many of the passengers came through from San Pedro on the Harvard. The Sampson sailed from the Pacific street wharf.

The British freighter Balmoral, Captain Johnson, completed loading a big cargo this morning and sailed for Astoria in the afternoon.

Made Fast Voyage, But Lost Her Mast

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The 2500 tons of freight brought in by the Pacific Mail steamer Aztec late Friday night left New York only twenty days before. The Aztec made the run from Ancon in the fast time of twelve days and twenty hours.

The ship's foremast was carried away while the loading was being done at the Panama wharf, the big electric cargo crane striking it.

Captain Charles Austel, in command, brought the San Francisco and Portland steamer Boar to this port from the Atlantic. The chief officer of the Aztec is W. F. Lindley.

Berkeley Obtains Litters for Injured

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—Two emergency litters for the use of the police in case of accidents are being hurried here from the east and will be put into use at once after their arrival to take wounded persons to the hospitals. The litters are urgently needed on account of the numerous automobile and motorcycle accidents.

S. N. WOOD & CO'S. STORE NEWS FOR LADIES

CONTINUATION OF LADIES' SUIT SALE

CLEARANCE PRICES!

Our Annual Clearance Sale of Ladies' Suits opened up so swimmingly on Tuesday, and kept up so successfully all week that all our claims as to the values we are giving for $15.50 and $16.50 were fully substantiated.

WE WILL CONTINUE

this sweeping reduction sale all next week. But if you come Monday you will have the satisfaction of selecting your suit from a replenished stock.

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We have added a number of higher-priced Suits to our racks than we advertised last week—some of them made to sell at $75. We charge but $23.75 for them.

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Sale date January 7th to 16th, inclusive. Return limit same date.

Southern Pacific

Steamers Are Racing Towards Golden Gate

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—A steamship race that began at Honolulu a little after noon last Wednesday will be decided early Thursday morning, when the winner will come steaming through the Golden Gate. The steamers are the Oceanic Steamship Company's liner Sierra and the Matson Company's greyhound Wilhelmina.

The ships steamed out of the harbor at Honolulu almost together, and each have kept within a few miles of each other.

Up to yesterday morning the Sierra had a great gain, which, if maintained, will bring her to her dock a few minutes before the arrival of the Wilhelmina. But Peter Johnson, commander of the latter, is known as a fighter, and it is possible that Captain Houdlette's lead may be overcome before sunrise today.

TAKES FULL CARGO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Over 250 tons of express freight were loaded on the Pacific Navigation steamer Harvard when she sailed for San Pedro this afternoon. When the Harvard and the Yale were first placed on the run the yearled but little cargo, but the advantage of four rapid shipments a week has appealed to the shippers, and it is said that the 600-ton capacity of each ship will soon be taxed.

The Harvard had 152 passengers coming north and 182 for the southern trip.

Town of Hayward Faces Big Deficit

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—Mayor Charles Heyer has announced to the trustees that he has had the clerk prepare a statement of the financial conditions of the town, which shows that the trustees must practice the most rigid economy for the balance of the fiscal year if they would avoid a deficit. Mayor Heyer proposed to divide the revenues into a number of separate funds and when any of these funds is exhausted authorize no more payments. Town Attorney Peter Crosby states that such a procedure would be legal and the trustees instructed him to draft an ordinance to carry the mayor's idea into practice.

Merchants' Exchange to Choose Directors

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—At a meeting of the Merchants' Exchange Monday evening twelve members of the executive committee will be chosen and other business transacted. The selection of the committee will mark the beginning of the year's active work by the Merchants' Exchange.

Dr. M. J. Peters to Lecture in Berkeley

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—"How the Money Goes" is the subject of a lecture to be given by Dr. M. J. Peters, the well-known lecturer, at the First Presbyterian church, Dana street and Channing way, Monday evening, January 9.

For twenty-five years Dr. Peters has been a conspicuous figure in American life. He was pastor of Bloomingdale church, New York, for twelve years, preaching to the largest congregations in that city, and through the press to the entire country. As a speaker he is very dramatic, witty and convincing. During the past year he has devoted himself to literary work.

Trees Along Foothill Boulevard Desired

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—Planting of shade and ornamental trees along the entire length of the foothill boulevard from Hayward to High street will be the theme of discussion at the meeting of the Civic Improvement Club, to be held Monday night at the club's rooms on the boulevard near Bridge street. It is proposed to take up the tree planting matter in earnest. The election of club officers will also be taken into consideration.

Caught Cold!

How often it happens that serious illness, and sometimes death, is directly traceable to neglect of a "common" cold. After it is too late what wouldn't we give to have checked the cold at the start, when it would quickly yield to simple home treatment.

A most effective remedy that will usually break up a cold over night and quickly relieve the most irritating cough is made by mixing 2 ounces of glycerine, ½ ounce of virgin oil of pine and 8 ounces of pure whisky. Shake well and take a teaspoonful four times a day. The ingredients for this mixture can be bought in any good drug store, and easily mixed together in a large bottle. This formula was used and recommended for many years by the late Dr. W. A. Leach, who founded the Leach Chemical Co. of Cincinnati, O., in whose laboratories the virgin oil of pine is compounded.

New Year's Festival at Hebrew Orphan Asylum

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The children of the Pacific Hebrew Orphan asylum entered upon the New Year last Sunday night with a dinner, which was abundantly supplied with good things to eat, followed by a dance. The alumni, who had arranged the dinner and dance, participated with their wives and children in the festivities of the orphans.

The feasting and dancing continued for several hours and was interspersed with songs and music by several of the children and grown-ups.

An excellent orchestra, under the leadership of Philip H. Sapiro, provided music. Then entertainment was under the leadership of Milton Lazarus, president, and Albert Taussig, chairman, assisted by Mrs. H. Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. H. Shannon, Joe Ludke and George Plato.

Cut This Out

Recipe That Breaks a Cold in a Day and Cures Any Curable Cough.

"Mix half ounce of Concentrated Pine Compound and two ounces of glycerine with half a pint of good whiskey; shake well and use in doses of one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bed time." Smaller doses to children according to age. Any one can mix this, but be sure to get only the genuine (Globe) Concentrated Pine. Each half ounce bottle comes in a sealed threw-top case. If the druggist does not have it he will quickly get it. Many mixtures are of large quantity and cheaper, but it is risky to experiment. This formula comes from a reliable doctor and is certain.

TALKS on TEETH

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When Alexander Pope wrote "The Proper Study of Mankind is Man," he gave to the world a readily perceived truism. In this scientific age it would seem the above assertion was hardly worth penning. All sciences tread up and down to man and to paraphrase Pope the proper study of the mouth is the study of its diseases. Tumors of the jaws and gums are more frequently traced to diseased teeth than any other cause. Crowded teeth and tartar may exert the same influence.

As before stated in these columns, the treatment of Pyorrhea Alveolaris should be directed not at the local manifestation alone, but must go to the root of the evil as well. The belief that Riggs Disease is incurable is so common that many people neglect to do anything for it and so lose tooth after tooth until all are gone. That all cases can be cured is strictly within the truth.

All cases of receding gums, engorged gums, from which pus exudes, and teeth which drop out are Pyorrhea. The extraction of teeth is not the highest art of dentistry.

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SMITH-TURNER ENGAGEMENT INTERESTS OAKLANDERS

MISS MURIEL CATHERYN TURNER and THOMAS B. SMITH, whose betrothal has been announced. —Habenicht, Photos.

One of the most pleasing announcements to recently interest Northern California society is that of the engagement of Miss Muriel Catherine Turner to Thomas Boarman Smith. While their immediate friends have been advised for more than two years of the understanding between this popular young couple, general announcement of the engagement has just been made.

The pretty little romance had its beginning on the University of California campus where Miss Turner, a member of the very exclusive Alpha Phi sorority and Smith, a Kappa Sigma fraternity man, first met in college social activities.

ONLY DAUGHTER.

Miss Turner is the only daughter of Henry G. Turner of Modesto, who is vice-president and manager of the Grange company in that city, and is also prominently connected with other large enterprises. The Turners are recognized social leaders in their part of the State.

Smith, who resides in San Francisco, is the oldest son of Thomas N. Smith, a mining engineer at present associated with the La Palma mines in Mexico.

Smith is also prominently known as one of the best athletes ever developed on the Pacific coast.

WON CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the years 1905 to 1907, inclusive, he was a member of the Lowell high school team, held the inter-scholastic championship for the half mile. In 1906, while running for the Olympic club, he won the coast half mile championship, and in 1909 he won the mile inter-collegiate championship for the University of California.

While in the university Smith achieved many honors. Besides belonging to the Kappa Sigma he was also a member of the big "C" society and the Commerce club and was one of the founders and also the secretary of the Johnson-Wallace club of the U. C.

Rumor has it that the wedding will be about March 1.

Campaign Planned by W. C. T. U. Forces

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—At the quarterly executive meeting of the California Women's Christian Temperance Union, plans were taken up for work at Sacramento during the session of the legislature.

The question of uniting with other temperance unions in an effort to obtain state-wide prohibition, was discussed and a favorable resolution adopted. A bill to forbid the manufacture, importation and sale of cigarettes in California will receive special attention.

The action of the Berkeley Women's Christian Temperance Union in writing to President Wheeler of the University of California asking him to take steps to stop drinking on the university grounds was indorsed.

Revenue Cutter Is Docked for Repairs

VALLEJO, Jan. 7.—The revenue cutter Sequoia arrived here today to be docked for repairs. It is probable, the authorities say, that revenue cutters will be overhauled at the Mare Island navy yard in future instead of at private yards.

Captain Robert F. Lopez, senior member of the board of surveys, is expected to order extensive repairs made on the refrigerator ship Glacier. The Glacier is attached to the Pacific cruiser fleet and has made many long voyages since being placed in commission.

Small Fire in a Furniture Warehouse

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The overheating of a stove and the burning of a can of wax on the sixth floor of the warehouse of the Harry Moore Furniture Company, in Savings Union Place, near Grant avenue and Stockton street, caused an alarm of fire to be turned in at 9:05 o'clock this morning. The Market street crowd quickly assembled, but the blaze was easily extinguished with but small damage.

MEXICANS MUST REGISTER NAMES

The Government Will Refuse to Recognize Claims Otherwise.

GALVESTON, Tex., Jan. 7.—The Mexican government has issued orders that from this time forward it will refuse to recognize claims of any nature filed by persons alleged to be Mexican citizens unless such persons are registered at some Mexican consulate.

The order also provides that every citizen of Mexico residing in the United States shall furnish the consul with notices of all births, deaths and marriages in his family.

PLAN REORGANIZATION OF TURKISH ARMY

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 7.—A local paper publishes particulars of the scheme of the reorganization of the Turkish army, which has been under consideration for some months past and which will shortly be improved by imperial irade. The whole system of national defense has been practically recast, the new military organization being better adapted to the peculiar conditions of the Ottoman empire.

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15c Cambric Edging and Insertion; good, strong edging and very pretty patterns; 6 to 6 inches wide—yard 7½c

25c Swiss and Cambric Edging and Insertion; many match sets to select from; 6 to 9 in. wide—yard 12½c

35c Swiss, Cambric and Nainsook Embroidery Edging and Insertion; pretty baby and large scroll patterns; 9 to 12 in. wide—yard 15c

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$1.25 yard-wide Black Taffeta—yard 88c
$1.35 yard-wide Black Taffeta Chiffon finish—yard 95c
$1.25 yard-wide Peau de Sole Silk—yard 95c
$1.50 yard-wide Peau de Cygne—yard $1.10
$1.50 yard-wide Peau de Sole—yard $1.10

COLORED SILKS

75c New Fancy Silks (2000 yds.)—yard 39c
75c Fancy Silk Poplins, all colors—yard 45c
$1.00 Plaid Silks, excellent patterns—yard 59c
$1.00 All-Silk Messaline, Swiss finish—yard 69c
$1.00 New Persian Silks—yard 75c
50c American Pongee Silk—yard 35c
85c 27-in. All-Silk Pongee—yard 59c
$1.25 yard-wide All-Silk Pongee—yard 88c

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12½c—45x36 in. ready-made Pillow Cases—each 10c
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$1.25—20x20 in. Napkins hemmed, red borders—dozen 98c
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$2.50—70x70 in. bleached all-linen Cloths, with borders on all sides—each $1.85
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The forthcoming styles for Spring are engaging feminine attention now, and Hale Bros.' Oakland store at Eleventh and Washington streets is in the forefront with advance showings.

This popular department store is showing in the windows and departments the new suits, with their shorter jackets, pretty Tyrolese hats, mostly in black and touched with brilliant hues, which seem destined for popularity, the new Spring 1911 white waists and other advanced styles.

Monday will see unusual activity in new 1911 laces and a great sale of "housewares" in domestics. In conformance with the policy of Hale's, all prices are popular and low, as the tremendous Hale five-store buying permits.

RAILROADS SUSTAINED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Refusal of a railroad to make connection with a privately owned spur track except on condition that it be released from liability for loss and damage by fire otherwise sustained by a decision of the Interstate commerce commission handed down.

That Pimples Do Disfigure the face is no reason why you should still have them. Pimples, blackheads, enlarged pores, liver spots and skin blemishes cured by Dr. Dunbar, skin, scalp, hair and feet specialist, 12 Broadway.

BILLTOWN RUN BY WOMEN ONLY

School District in Ohio Must Change Name Is Demand.

WEST UNION, Ohio, Jan. 7.—It is but fitting that there should be a prompt change in the name of Billtown school district, which is one of the educational divisions of Adams county, for Billtown, as an electoral quantity, has changed its gender.

Every male elector in the township has been disfranchised and only women are qualified to vote at the next election for school trustees and none but women will be eligible to hold the office of trustee.

Three women have already announced themselves as candidates for trusteeships next November.

BILL FOR FIRE BOAT.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 7.—Senator-Sheriff Tom Finn of San Francisco proposes to make the state pay one-half the expenses of the fire-boat service in use on the water front of San Francisco. He has a bill to this effect, which he will introduce in the senate. The cost of the fire-boat service is estimated at $100,000 a year.

BOLD CRIMINAL THROWN IN JAIL

Tony Tapia, Wanted in Oakland, Is Landed Behind the Bars.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE)

STOCKTON, Jan. 7.—Tony Tapia, alias Louis Ray, who is believed by the authorities to be one of the boldest criminals of the state of California, was captured by the local authorities after an all night hunt conducted by a posse of police. He is charged with forgery, and it is understood that he is wanted in Oakland on a similar charge. The capture was effected after Tapia had secreted himself under a bridge, from which point of vantage he defied the officers for over an hour.

The man will be tried here for forging the name of J. F. McGlynn, a local dairyman, to a check. According to reports from Oakland he is alleged to have represented himself as a relative who had $600 in a bank in that city and after convincing the officials of his identity, of having drawn the entire sum from the account. The owner of the money was at the time in Alaska.

That the Oakland police have no record of Tony Tapia here was stated by Captain of Detectives Walter J. Petersen yesterday morning. No complaint is on record here of swindling a local bank by forging the name of a depositor to draw $900, and Captain Petersen was unable to explain the report from Stockton.

Man Arrested On Grand Larceny Charge

While in the act of "flickering" to sell a stolen bicycle to the firm of Lande & Co., of 558 Seventh street, a man giving the name of Joseph Gilman succeeded in stealing a $25 gold watch from the show case and getting away from the store with it. He was afterwards captured by Detectives Quigley and Drew and will be charged with grand larceny in all probability. An investigation is being made of his previous record.

VISITS FORMER POST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Major Jesse M. Baker, U. S. A., retired, was a caller at army headquarters today.

This Prescription Knocks Rheumatism

The only logical treatment for rheumatism is through the blood. A prescription which has recently proved wonderfully effective in hospital work is the following: Any druggist has the ingredients or will quickly get them for you. Any one can mix them. Obtain compound syrup of Sarsaparilla one ounce; Iodide potassium, half dram; best dram whiskey. These to be mixed and used in tablespoonful doses before each meal and at bedtime. This cured thousands here last winter. It relieves immediately.

Fine Handbags

Regular $6 00 and $6 0 Hand Bags an up-to-date variety of black red, grey tan and brown Newest frames best of leathers fitted with purses card cases mirrors, etc— Special $4.50

Capwell's Clearance Sale

SECOND WEEK'S OPENING MONEY SAVERS

Half Price Sale Ladies' Hosiery

Excellent Silk Lisle Hose in colors only no blacks split sole double tops big variety of shades, regular 50c value— Special 25c pr

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OPENS MONDAY SPECIAL 5c Yd.

Thousands of yards of Linen and Cotton Torchon Laces and a splendid lot of imitation Clunys Come in sets of 2 and 3 widths. Patterns are exact reproductions of real thread laces and also include heavy German Linen and Thread Laces Suitable for all kinds of underwear and kindred purposes, durable, washable

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Extraordinary Bargains in This Department

Dress Ginghams a fine line of plaids checks and stripes 2½c value special price yard 9c

January special in Flannelettes priced as follows

German Woven Flannelette 16c value special 12½c

Fleeced Back Serge Flannel 10c and 12½c values special 8c

Cashmere Fleece 36 inches wide 15c and 20c values 11c special

Amoskeag Clove Cloth 10c value special 8c

A good heavy Twill Flannel pink blue and tan stripes 9c

Novelty White Goods Specials

Novelty Crossbar and Jacquard White Goods 12½c values special 9c, 15c and 20c values special 12c 25c values Special 18c

All wool French Flannel and Novelty Waistings broken assortment of colors and patterns to close out 50c to 60c values Special 38c

Worsted Finish Suitings, plaids and stripes fine for housedresses and children's wear regular 15c and 20c values special 12½c

A STORY OF PROGRESS. 1.

The buildings in the picture cover a portion of the site of the new home of the H C CAPWELL COMPANY They are fast being torn down so that the excavation can begin We shall publish each week a picture of the new store's progress They will constitute a series of exceptional interest and instruction

January Sale of Fine Table Linen

Some money-saving items of supreme interest to housekeepers Old pattern cloths one or two of a kind, non have napkins to match From the looms of the finest Scotch and Irish linen makers to be closed out at

Bleached Pattern Cloths, 2 yds.x2½ yds ; reg	$3 25	$2.50
Bleached Pattern Cloths, 2 yds x2½ yds., reg	$4 00	$3 00
Bleached Pattern Cloths, 2 yds x3 yds reg.	$4.50	$3 75
Half Bleached, 2 yds.x3 yds., reg	$5 25	$3 95
Half Bleached, 2 yds x2½ yds , reg	$4.00	$2 95
Half Bleached, 2 yds x2½ yds., reg	$5 50	$3 95

HEMSTITCHED SETS

One lot of very fine Hemstitched Linen Sets Each set consists of one cloth and a dozen napkins only limited number

8x10 SETS; regular $13 50—Special	$ 9 95
8x12 SETS; regular $15 75—Special	$11 75
8x14 SETS; regular $16 75—Special	$12 50

SALE OF SAMPLE NAPKINS

Drummer Sample line of napkins only one dozen of kind A good variety

$1 75 NAPKINS for $1 25 dozen | $3 00 NAPKINS for $2 25 dozen
$2 50 NAPKINS for $1 75 dozen | $4.00 NAPKINS for $2 95 dozen

SECOND WEEK

Great Sale of Sample Muslinwear

Thousands of beautiful Muslin Garments were sold last week as many more will be sold this week the opportunities for perfect satisfaction are just as good as when the sale opened

To the splendid samples have been added hundreds of garments from our regular stock—odd numbers, broken lines—goods that have been displaced etc

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Bath Towels Regular 40c 29c

Extra heavy extra large double thread Bath Towels Absorbent and soft Will produce the desired glow with the least effort

Ladies' Sweater Regular $2.50 $1.75

A mixed lot of fancy and plain weaves in solid colors of red white and gray

Cable Net Curtains $1.39 pr.

A good lot of patterns in white ivory and Arabian Broken lots regular $2 25

Bungalow Curtains net 15c yd.

SPECIAL VALUE

Selection in white and Arabian art lace and fish net effects

Ladies' Handk'f's 3 for 50c; 6 for $1.00

Regular 25c and 35c values broken lines of hemstitched linen cambric embroidered initials some colored border the initial plain colored in just one letter

Silk Scarfs Regular $3 75 $2.50

Excellent quality of two toned striped fancy Scarfs with Persian borders extra long fine silk, tender gold tone

Ladies' Warm Union Suits 69c

A Dollar Value

Fleece lined pure bleached cotton high neck, long sleeves ankle length, medium winter weight

WINTER WOOL DRESS GOODS $1.00 yd

Regular $1 50, $1 75 and $2 00 Values

A clean up of a good number of odd pieces of popular Suitings in grays browns tans reds blue desirable mixtures mottled effects and stripes Note the widths—48 to 54 inches A selection of remarkably good cloths

3 Styles of FLANNELETTE GOWNS $1.25

Good $1 75 Values—NOW

White with polka dots stripes and figures made without collar dainty flannel in white with pink and blue wash braid trimming white with yoke finished with ruffle button-hole stitched Three excellent styles — useful the year around

CORSET and BRASSIERE Reductions $2.50

One lot of good style Corsets priced from $3 50 to $5— Now

Models include La Perriere 'Le Reve Kabo and Jonquil all sizes somewhere in the lot Broken lines of Brassieres all good styles lace and embroidery trimmed $1 10 to $3 25—NOW 75c to $2.50

$37.50 to $55 High-Grade Fancy Suits . . $19.95

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$35 00 SUITS At HALF Tomorrow we give you choice of 100 smart suits in the season's styles, finished and workmanship regular $35 00 values— Special $17.50

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Always Sold at 58c SALE PRICE 39c yd

We are discontinuing this line and are cleaning out our entire stock at 39c yard Colors are brown myrtle navy, lavender, light blue, tan, Nile, pink, garnet ruisin rose tan cardinal and gray

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GINGHAM HOUSE DRESSES $1.25

An Exceedingly Good Value—

Made of good gingham in stripes checks and solid colors Blues grays reds pink Yoke front neat finish the essence of neatness at a big saving

Veteran Telegrapher Asks for a Pension

WASHINGTON Jan — It is reported here that Washington representatives of Western Union will present a petition to Congress today from Alfred Walker Eldridge of New York City, asking for a pension of $100 per month for Eldridge who was a military telegrapher during the civil war. Eldridge is 70 years old and is said to be in poor health. He is a veteran of the Mexican war and served during the civil war in the Virginia campaigns. He was one of the operators at the key of Secretary of War Stanton's office when the news of the assassination of President Lincoln was received. Andrew Carnegie, president of the Telegraph Association, has not signed the petition, but has written a letter in which he says that the United States

Steel Manufacturers to Hold Conference

NEW YORK Jan — A conference of steel manufacturers has been called to be held beginning January 24 A dinner will be given at the Waldorf Astoria Wednesday January 11 At the conferences will be held during the week for the purpose of discussing prices and statistics in the steel industry

Andrew Carnegie is mentioned as a probable guest at the dinner and will be asked to speak on the subject of the steel industry and its relation to the tariff

Beach's "The Barrier" Is Produced in Idaho

Special Dispatch to The Tribune

BOISE Idaho Jan — Before a large and fashionable audience which included nearly the entire state legislature which convened today no dramatic season here has been presented at the Pinney Theatre that has been more successful than that which was given Rex Beach's great play The Barrier was presented at the Pinney Theatre tonight The company and the play were all that could be desired

THROUGH WINDOWS DOWN LADDERS WOMEN FLEE

Police Rail On Female Poolroom Cause Fair Gamblers to Seek Safety

SAN LEAN Jose Jan — Leaping from windows seizing up children and meanwhile screaming at the top of their voices twelve women attempted to escape from a women's sporting resort at 370 Webster street this afternoon when the place was raided by a squad of policemen In the scramble that followed the appearance of the stern bluecoats six of the women made good their flights for safety The remaining six were arrested on charges of vagrancy Miss Alice Burbridge alias Alice Watters being booked as the proprietress of the resort with the other five Emilia Barbone Ida Leavitt Peters Alice Peters and Florence Bailey being charged with frequenting a gambling place Six men out of ten who were in the place were also taken into custody

FEMALE DETECTIVE ON JOB

The police have long suspected that poolselling was being conducted at 370 Webster street but the male detectives could not obtain a line on the place Finally a woman detective Miss Madeline D'Arsay was detailed on the case and this afternoon she visited the suspected house following several women into the rooms

Once inside she noted that gambling was going on and that a number of men were loafing about the place Hurriedly she left the room and asked admittance when Miss D'Arsay all the doors open and allowed the policemen to enter The woman detective blew a police whistle and the house was surrounded by a squad of policemen

WOMEN ARE STAMPEDED

Incidentally the news aroused consternation among the women in the house some climbing down ladders others going out in twos and threes to the ground and some of ten feet When the count was made it was found that six of the women had escaped the net of the police.

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EX-GOVERNOR JAS. N. GILLETT IS GLAD TO GET DOWN TO BUSINESS

HIS WIFE WOULD NOT LET HIM RUN FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Former Governor James N. Gillett sat at his desk in this city on Friday and said he was glad to get to work. Chatting over his experiences at Sacramento, a friend said that the incoming Governor seemed afraid of the newspaper men and hesitated to get on terms of friendship with them. Then Gillett, out of office and in a position of entire independence, paid this tribute to the working correspondents that men in public life and out of it might do well to remember. Said he:

"I always had an open door for the newspaper men. I used to be glad to see and talk with the correspondents. I found their views at times of the greatest value. Always I gave them all the news I possibly could give them. Often, to keep them personally informed, so they would not get off wrong, I told them state secrets and asked them not to publish or spread what I told them. Never once in my entire four years of office did a newspaper man abuse my confidence in the slightest degree."

Now there is a eulogy of "the damned reporter" that is worth while. Gillett was the most accessible Governor the State has ever had. He did talk very freely and openly on matters of public policy with the workers of the press. And now at the close of his terms he says that never once was his confidence abused. There is a pointer in that for bumptious officials who think an interview is the most dangerous ordeal to which they can be put.

Hail to the New-Born King

I quote the following from a Sacramento paper as a part of its description of the inaugural ceremonies of Governor Johnson:

The incoming officers the meeting of the Legislature and the visitors about the Capitol received a pretty serenade in the Capitol from the Grass Valley carol singers. They sang several carols and were greeted with applause by more than 1000 persons, who crowded both the first and second floors. They sang from a station in front of the marble statue of Columbus and Queen Isabella.

"Hail, Hail to the New-Born King," was the first carol, and as the sweet music filled the building the crowds cheered, immediately seeing in the carol some relation to the new Governor who will take the reins of Government tomorrow or the next day.

Now that is all very beautiful, but Senator Eddie Wolfe tells me that when those choristers sang "Hail, Hail to the New-Born King" it was Meyer Lissner of Los Angeles, who gracefully lifted his hat in acknowledgment, admitting that he is the new-born political king of California.

Where Did All the Money Go?

An expert has been on the books of the defunct San Francisco Sun trying to learn where all the money came from and particularly where all of it went to. But some funny disclosures have been made as to those who did put up and those who did not.

For instance, it was generally supposed James D. Phelan would come up handsomely because of his desire to do harm to the Examiner. But it seems the astute Jimmy didn't put up a cent beyond the amount of one year's subscription. Colonel Tim Spellacy, the Democratic nominee for Lieutenant-Governor, didn't even do that much. But Theodore Bell was tapped for desperate money several times during the last days of the campaign.

It seems that the big angel for the sheet was your old friend, Ed Delger, who inherited a fortune from his father, Fred Delger. It is told that Delger was stuck for about $17,500 in the collapse. Steve Costello, the lawyer, was pinched for quite a sum. Stewart, who used to be circulation manager on the Examiner, was made business manager of the Sun and put into it a large part of his private fortune. Bert Schlesinger, the lawyer, also dropped a wad, though you would think he'd be too wise for such a thing.

Some of Those Who Escaped

So far as can be ascertained, Senator A. Caminetti of Amador, who was the original proposer and promoter of the paper, didn't put up a cent; and now "Cam" says he is tired of being a Democrat and talks of joining the insurgent Republicans. United States Senator Newlands was often importuned to back the paper, but he kept away from it; and former State Senator E. O. Miller of Visalia only stuck himself for $100.

I have heard of one rather pitiful incident in connection with the failure. A young railroad man had saved through many years until he had accumulated a sum approximating $8000. It was his all, and he has a family to raise. Some evil genius lured him into that newspaper game, and, of course, he lost every cent. How men of affairs went into a thing that all newspaper men felt was foredoomed to failure from the start is hard for a sensible man to guess. Verily, there is a sucker born every minute.

My Wife Won't Let Me

In the present rapid and uninteresting contest for United States Senator there has been a great deal of wonder expressed that Southern California did not produce some candidate with more magnetism than John D. Works and more knowledge of the State than A. G. Spalding. One of the Southern Senators let me in on one feature of the question when he came in from the State Capitol last night. He said:

"When Johnson made his first campaign speech in Los Angeles the Lincoln-Roosevelt leaders there had not quite completed their part of the State ticket. They had at last picked out A. J. Wallace as their candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, and at the Johnson meeting Wallace was introduced to the public for the first time as the League's candidate.

"As he rose to speak, Meyer Lissner stepped across the stage and handed him a paper on which was written some words. Wallace read what was written, crumpled up the paper and threw it down on the stage floor. After the meeting there were those who were curious to see what Lissner had communicated to Wallace. So they picked up the crumpled paper and read:

"'The wife of Lee Gates will not let him be our candidate for United States Senator, so do not say anything about his candidacy.'"

And so it was a woman who kept Gates out of a fight he would have won and put the somewhat frigid Works into it to be Senator from California.

Be True to the Man Who Made You

Adjutant-General J. B. Lauck was really very eager to hold his place at Sacramento under Governor Johnson, as he had held over from Pardee under Gillett. The place has gone to the gallant Colonel Forbes of Marysville, however, and I am reminded of a rebuke administered to Lauck by George A. Knight during the recent primary campaign.

Evidently like the famous Bishop of Bray, Lauck didn't much care who got to be Governor so long as he could hold on to his job. He knew that Knight hated Gillett and also that the Republican National Committeeman was stout in the cause of Charles F. Curry for Governor. So in the corridor of the Palace Hotel, the General sidled up to Knight and said insinuatingly:

"You know where my heart is in this fight. You know where I really stand!"

"I know where you really ought to stand!" snapped out Knight.

"Where?" inquired the General.

"You ought to stand with Gillett—he's the man who made you!"

With this Knight turned on his heel and walked away. He was not sorry when Forbes was so quickly installed in Lauck's place.

Picking Another United States Senator

"What do you suppose Teddy Roosevelt Jr. is doing out here in California?" asked a wise guy politician of another at the Palace as they sat at luncheon.

"Why, selling carpets, I suppose," was the reply given with a shrug of the shoulders.

"Oh, get on to yourself! Selling carpets, nothing. Can't you see that the insurgents have him in training to succeed Senator Perkins? Just you watch them boost him around. Did you notice how they were putting him to the front and introducing him around at the Union League banquet a week or two ago? Do you remember how he was featured at the Johnson meetings during the campaign? Get wise, I tell you. They'll trot out Teddy Jr. for United States Senator as sure as you are over a foot high and more than a year old."

Spider-Web Labyrinth Underground

If a man could have an X-ray eye and could look underground in our streets he would see a labyrinth that would puzzle him. No wonder the merchants are complaining about the tearing up, and tearing up, and tearing up again of our streets. No one who doesn't stop to think will have any idea of the number of pipes and conduits already down, to say nothing of the many schemes now under way or in contemplation.

The different service pipes are getting so thick that they begin to be dangerous. And all this was called to my mind by the fact that the other day one of the laborers engaged in digging a trench for our new fire-fighting water system hit his pick into the ground and suddenly blew off two manholes two blocks apart and in populous centers. No one was hurt, but the accident might easily have been serious.

It seems the laborer had struck some kind of a spark from one of the electric conduits and the spark had set off some accumulated gas in a main or a sewer. So we are walking on imminent explosions all the time.

Works Sure Winner

The contest for United States Senator, unless all outward signs are misleading, was all over a week ago. At that time Meyer Lissner, who is now called "Boss," counted noses and tallied approximately a majority for Works on the first joint ballot. The noses appear to be all there still, with a few additional ones. Lissner had his political reputation all staked on this fight, and to lose the Senatorship meant to him the loss of all the political prestige he has acquired. The election makes the new aspirant for bosship either a Warwick or a political failure. He will either have made a United States Senator or have been relegated to private life.

Conditions, if not inclination, have made Governor Johnson the ally of Lissner in this contest. Every piece of available political patronage has been used to make Works Senator, and a failure would mean the breaking down of the new State machine in the very outset of its journey.

When the balloting is had this week Works, according to the present outlook, will practically be without an opponent. Spalding will get some of the "district advisory" vote on the first ballot, but Works has had at least seventy signed for an engagement with him for a week or more. Nothing but a cyclone can change this conditionn, and such a disturbance has not been forecast by experts in political weather. Spalding's fight has been neglected, he relying wholly on his advisory vote. Southern members would prefer a younger man—Frank Flint, Willis Booth, Joe Scott—but none of these are on the ground, either in person or by proxy. It therefore looks as though Works would be elected by Meyer Lissner and default.

This condition being apparent, there has been a scramble to get aboard the band-wagon. Not alone Republicans who have nothing in common with the Works' candidacy, but a hungry and disorganized Democratic minority, that in this State seems to be fast approaching the status of the mule—without pride of ancestry or hope of posterity.

Liquor Question in Evidence

The liquor question is very much in evidence at the present session of the Legislature. No less than eight bills to prohibit or regulating the sale of liquor have been heard from to date. There is an anti-treating act, which prohibits all invitations to "join me" under penalty of prosecution. There are Sunday closing and local option bills in all their variety. The liquor men have but a small and inconspicuous representation in the lobby at this stage of the session, it being their purpose to avoid ostentatious opposition lest it excite their enemies to greater lengths than they otherwise might go.

The brewers, wine men and liquor dealers generally rely upon Governor Johnson to protect their interests. They supported him during his campaign and now say, "He is all right." Nevertheless there is a demand among the legislators for some legislation regulating, if not prohibiting, the sale of liquor, and that some measures of such character will result is conceded by the liquor men themselves.

Lissner and the Governor

The politicians in the know at Sacramento are waiting for the falling out of Governor Hiram Johnson and Meyer Lissner, the new insurgent boss from Southern California. The wise ones predict that the rupture must come, and that before long, for the men are too much alike in ambitions and other characteristics to long remain in harmony.

Already stories are told of the infelicity of the pair of insurgent leaders that point to future possibilities of friction. It was with an amused interest that the efforts of Lissner, who presided at the recent legislative conference held in San Francisco, sought to induce Johnson to take a seat beside him on the platform, were followed by the spectators. But this he was unable to accomplish, as Johnson failed to respond to his maneuvering.

Lissner as a political boss requires patronage to sustain himself in that position, and that patronage must come, if at all, from Johnson. But the latter is inclined to be the whole thing himself and not abdicate one iota of his power to another. Bets are being offered on who will win in the contest for party control, Lissner having not a few backers by reason of his patience and persistency.

At the San Francisco conference Lissner read an address which he had submitted to Johnson. The latter on reading it is said to have remarked, with a shade of sarcasm which the Los Angeles boss either did not perceive or believed it best to overlook,

"It reads very much like an inaugural."

As a rule Lissner is inclined to be supercilious with those he meets, but to Johnson he is obsequious. He knows that his relations with the Governor are being discussed, as they furnish entertainment for the onlookers. Yet the new boss, who once was a lieutenant to Walter Parker, the railroad political man of Los Angeles, and whom he superseded, having become stronger than his master, knows that the trial of strength is on, but declines to discuss it.

Lissner is a very close-mouthed man, and while he is of course aware of the contention in which he is engaged, the nearest approach to an answer given by him when asked as to the outcome of the scrimmage for control was, "We'll see."

Johnson is said to have even gone so far as to criticise Lissner's much vaunted campaign card system and to have suggested that the new boss from the south played the cards all wrong. And so the combat for tophand in political control progresses.

The Major and Tarantulas

At the Army and Navy Club there is being told a tale of a practical joke played by some of the members upon a certain army man during the gladsome holiday times when he was looking fondly and frequently in the glass that cheers and inebriates. We will call him Major Smith for short. If there is one thing in this world the major fears in both his waking and sleeping hours it is a tarantula. Several years ago he came near being bitten by one of these dreaded insects. The shock he then received because of his narrow escape impressed itself so peculiarly on his mind that even at this late day when indulging in an hospitable glass he imagines at times that he sees a tarantula making at him at full speed. The other evening a small bunch of horse hair, wrapped around at each end and in the middle with small rubber bands of the same color as the hair was placed on a table where he sat with several cronies quaffing his favorite beverage. The hour was late and Smith's intellect was not at its normal clearness. It was some time before he moved his hand on the table to where the poor imitation of a tarantula had been placed. All were in eager suspense watching to see what would happen when the major's hand should touch the object. The moment his hand touched the bunch of prickly hairs Smith stopped his voluble talk, gave one look at it and then with a yell jumped up and fled the room. The major has not taken a drink since and none who knows of the affair has the temerity to ask him why he broke off drinking in the midst of the holiday season.

Tetrazzini Throng

Tetrazzini's fine concerts in this city and Oakland yielded gross receipts of about $40,000. Jan. told the noted Italian songstress is worth a quarter of a million today and expects to clean up on her present concert tour of the United States $500,000. She has certainly made a good start. The success of her tour also means much money for her manager, W. H. Leahy, and his financial backer in the enterprise, Adolph Ottinger, the man who made half a million dollars as a ticket scalper before the United States Supreme Court a couple of years ago put that business on the toboggan. By the way there has been much difference of opinion as to the size of the crowd which greeted the famous diva when she sang for the multitude on Market street Christmas eve. Chief of Police John Seymour, who has had much experience with crowds, says there were fully 200,000 people in that vast throng, and he also says it is a significant fact that not one case of pocket picking or purse snatching was reported at police headquarters from the crowd that night. General Tasker H. Bliss, U. S. A., in command on this coast, thinks 100,000 is a fair estimate of the crowd. Major Carroll D. Buck, U. S. A., states that 125,000 people were in the throng. Several captains and lieutenants under Chief Seymour are inclined to think Major Buck's figures are the more correct.

Few Billiard Players

The game of billiards has taken a new lease of life in this city and there are two or three billiard parlors which are said to be as fine as any in the land. Yet one of their managers tells me there are less billiard players per capita in San Francisco than in any other large city of the United States. Climatic conditions explain the state of affairs. In the East from November to May the inclement weather forces people to remain indoors much of the time, especially at night. So during these months the Eastern billiard parlors are always crowded. Out on this coast the pleasant outdoors weather most of the time strongly detracts from the billiard parlor as a place of attraction. The same weather conditions explain the large number of automobiles in proportion to population that San Francisco and Los Angeles possess. In the East there is a very large percentage of professional men who always find a game of billiards a pleasant relaxation. It is noticed in this city how few professional men indulge in this pastime, either on tables in their own homes or in regular billiard parlors.

Stanford's Great Fortune

John D. Rockefeller's latest gift to the University of Chicago, which makes a total of $34,692,282 in cash and good securities he has given that institution, calls attention once more to the great fortune Senator

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Leland Stanford gave to Stanford University. Next to the Chicago institution, Stanford University has received the largest endowment from a single individual of any university in this country. As near as can be ascertained, the fortune Stanford gave is worth today $25,000,000. It was not worth that much when he died in 1893. Much of it is constantly increasing in value. A part of his fortune includes 56,000 acres of land, much of which is under cultivation, and all of which is year by year increasing in value. When Stanford died his estate held 200,000 shares of Southern Pacific Company stock, which had a market value of about $26 a share. When Mrs. Jane Stanford sold the stock about seven years later to C. P. Huntington and the bankers, Speyer & Co., she is said to have received $52 a share. Much of the fortune today is invested in good income bonds. No one else has as yet given Stanford University a large gift of money or property. Harvard has 30,000 graduates, many of whom are wealthy and who contribute whenever they are asked to do so. Yale has many rich alumni who do the same thing. Columbia has property in New York City, which it was at one time advised to sell for seven and a half millions, and which is now valued at $25,000,000. It, too, has many rich graduates who are generous contributors.

Affinity Goes With Chauffeur

A successful young business man has been suffering from nervous prostration because his affinity has run off with his chauffeur. A neglected wife over in Alameda county is laughing sarcastically over this discomfiture of her erring spouse, happy to lay her anger aside for the moment to enjoy the chagrin of a man who thought his money, auto and good looks made him irresistible with the fair sex. Why the wife has not secured a divorce by this time is her own business. She certainly has had sufficient grounds. The husband has been very open in his association with the petite, dashing brunette until ten days ago, when she skipped with just as handsome and young a fellow, but one less imposing financially. The rub to the feelings of the married man was more severe from the fact that his own machine was used for the elopement. After five days in bed, with a male nurse guarding the door so he could not escape from the hospital and go in search of his fleeing charmer, the married man is finally able to frequent his old haunts. Sensible in other things, his friends are astonished at his persistence in trying to locate the runaway and fickle young woman and the manner in which he has flaunted the social conventions with her. They hope she will never come back, and marvel that the couple never got into the limelight with their many reckless joy rides and exploitation of the pleasures of the primrose path.

Will Meet Royalty

Mrs. John Ward, the daughter of Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid and cousin of Miss Jennie and Templeton Crocker, is, with her parents, to entertain the two latter San Franciscans next May in London at the time of the coronation of King George. Long before that time Templeton Crocker will have married his fiancee, Miss Helene Irwin. While in London the Reids and their daughter, whose husband is an Englishman who moves in the royal set, will arrange for the presentation at court of Miss Crocker and her brother and his then bride. The Reids and Mrs. Ward will be here shortly to spend a winter vacation at Millbrae, a fine country home just south of this city, in which Mrs. Reid, as a daughter of the late D. O. Mills, is interested as one of the owners. It is said Mrs. Reid and her daughter may remain to attend the Crocker-Irwin nuptials. Ambassador Reid, while here, will attend the meetings of the trustees of Stanford University, he being a member of the board since its inception. It is only on his occasional visits to the coast that Reid can attend these meetings. He would have resigned long ago on this account but for the repeated requests of Senator and Mrs. Stanford during their lifetimes that he remain a trustee as long as he was in active life.

Goodwin Still Holds Property

Apropos of the reports that Actor Nat Goodwin and his fourth wife, the former Edna Goodrich, are about to resort to the divorce courts, the former appears to have held on to a lot of valuable San Francisco real estate, both improved and unimproved, instead of deeding it to his pretty spouse, as has been believed by some of his Eastern friends. That Goodwin has lavished much money on his wife and that she has been extravagant with his means, there is no question. It is also said he has given her choice securities and some Eastern real estate. The records in the city and county recorder's office here disclose no change in the ownership of the Goodwin properties north and south of Golden Gate Park and such fine improved properties as the Lafayette Apartments in the fashionable section of the Western Addition. Goodwin purchased these properties several years before the fire as an investment and they have materially increased in value since then. To what extent, if any, the actor's fortune was impaired in Nevada mining ventures I have no means of knowing. Goodwin tried to float some of his Nevada mining shares in Paris about two years ago and failed. A man who saw him and his wife in the French metropolis at the time says that she surprised even the blase "seen-it-alls" by the lavishness of her gowns and the wonderful and varied jewels she wore. When she entered restaurants there was always an ominous hush as if something awful was going to happen. She appeared to enjoy the sensation she caused at such times. But Nat fumed. His red face heightened in color and he appeared to want to fight somebody.

Spotlight On Lovers

The operator of the searchlight on the roof of the St. Francis Hotel at its northeast edge New Year's Eve caused consternation among the loving couples in Union Square Park. There was a host of them there on the benches and seated on the lawns, to whom the flood of electric light was anything but a pleasure and a joy. The sentimentally inclined maiden and her hugging companion sought in vain to escape this limelight. So to speak, the operator pelted them with rays of light in such a quantity as to reveal them to hundreds round about, causing them to scamper off in confusion as laughter and loud guffaws followed in their wake. I do not think this operator was either a comic or a moralist in forcing his searchlight as a third party where only two can or ever will be company. No doubt he and his machine were out for a good jolly time like everybody and everything else. Maybe, too, he was a bit lonesome way up there and just a little envious of the lovesick couples amid the shrubbery and the flowers down below. Whoever he was and whatever his motive, he was a dandy marksman with his searchlight, and all the while there floated down from the roof snatches of a ditty:

"I would like to have her near me,
I would like to hug her, too,
I would like to draw her near me
An' jus' whisper: 'I love you.'"

He went over every bit of ground in Union Square time and again and got his quarry almost every time. So there are some young folks in town who will hereafter never like this decorative and intruding feature of Manager Woods' caravansary during times of festivity.

The Dog and the Lady's Hat

The engagement of Miss Marian Lally, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thornton Lally, to Louis A. Durkee, formerly of London but now in business here, recalls how that pretty maiden of the blonde type several months ago, while a guest at the Mill Valley home of Mrs. Jack Dempsey, had a costly hat, a fine creation of the milliner's art, torn to tatters and bits by the Dempsey dog, a fox terrier of approved pedigree. There were threats of a lawsuit for damages, the Lally household being reported to have gone so far in their anger as to engage an attorney to collect from the host and hostess the full value of the Parisian piece of headgear. No suit was instituted, but whether the Dempseys paid for the destruction wrought by their pet canine is something the public has never been advised about. The incident was interesting at the time because it raised a discussion as to the obligations of the hostess under the circumstances. Should she make a cash settlement? If so, should not a host or hostess exact cash settlements from guests who accidentally break some costly bric-a-brac? Or is it not preferable, in either case, to make compensation more delicately by the giving of presents on some appropriate occasion? But enough of that. The father of the young lady is known to fame in business circles as the man who resigned a $20,000 a year position rather than push a time indicator bell to show what hour he arrived at and left the store, as all the people under him were required to do. This was several years before the fire, when he was the resident agent for a big Chicago steel concern. Now he is prospering with a steel and iron agency of his own.

Women to Fight for Ballot

The women suffragists of California, who have planned to storm the present Legislature at Sacramento for a proper recognition of the franchise for women on a parity with the male voter, are in receipt of much advice and assistance from outside sources. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, the "big boss" of the cause in the East, is in constant communication with the local cohorts. Women in Idaho, Colorado, Utah, Wyoming and Washington have the right to vote and want California to fall into the line. Next Saturday at Tacoma a committee of five, one from each of those States, is to meet to form a national association of suffragists and to consider the status of the fight in California and Oregon. It is said this convention, or committee of five, has the hearty approval of the Governors of those States because they each selected one delegate to the convention. From what some of the San Francisco women, who are in this franchise fight for good and all, tell me the members of the Tacoma convention are to send here shortly for use at Sacramento reliable facts concerning woman's suffrage in their respective enfranchised States so as to give the lie to the innumerable false statements which are continually current. It is likely that a member of the convention will visit Sacramento later on to give aid and comfort to her California sisters.

Journalist's Career and the News

Joseph N. H. Irwin, the veteran newspaperman, member of the editorial staff of the Examiner and one of the founders of the Bohemian Club, who died some days ago, had a romance about twenty-five years ago which is interesting to recall. Had the Pope granted a special dispensation, Irwin would have been the stepfather of the present Mrs. Herman Oelrichs and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt Jr. It is a part of the history of the city of why and how Mrs. Theresa Fair divorced her multimillionaire husband, the late Senator James G. Fair. Several years later Mrs. Fair and Irwin were recognized among their friends as devoted lovers and it was understood they were to be married if the Vatican gave consent. Mrs. Fair was a devout Catholic and her chivalrous lover heartily agreed with her that their union would be impossible without such permission. Consent was asked and urged from the Holy See, but it was refused in a firm but polite way. So their marriage was impossible. In spite of that fact, Irwin and she were the best of friends until her death. People are still living who knew how disinterested and correct was his judgment on the frequent occasions she appealed to him for advice on behalf of her young daughters and her large property interests when beset with the machinations of her former husband's friends. Like all newspaper men who are a honor to their profession, Irwin knew much of the current history of the town during the past thirty-five years and said but little. He was one of the few men who knew all of the reasons why C. P. Huntington quarreled with Senator Stanford when the latter was first made United States Senator in the middle eighties in place of A. A. Sargent, who expected the honor as the culmination of his career.

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PASTOR'S FATHER DIES IN SOUTH

Rev. George W. White Called to Pomona by Message Bearing News.

In a telegraphic message received from Pomona yesterday by Rev. George W. White pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, news of the death of his father, David W. White, who died last evening was announced. The death occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George E. Merain where he had resided for the past eight years.

The late Mr. White had been ill a short time and hope for his recovery was held out up to the last moment by the members of the immediate family. Although 89 years of age, he made his influence felt in the community in which he lived, and in his old age his counsel was sought by his many friends. He was beloved by all and his devotion to his family and friends was one of his characteristics.

The deceased came to California in 1892 from Iowa, where he received his early education and adopted the life of a farmer, and during his residence in Pomona he did much to promote the farming interests in that district.

Rev. George W. White left last evening to attend the funeral which will be held in Pomona tomorrow afternoon. In his absence Rev. William C. Poole will conduct the services in the First Methodist Episcopal church.

Betrothal Declared to Be Untrue

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. John F. Cleary today declared that the announcement that their daughter, Miss Virginia Cleary, a singer, was engaged to Dr. Robert Stillwell Cornicus of Chicago, was untrue.

"The announcement was the work of an irresponsible person with a strange sense of humor, or else was given out maliciously," said Mrs. Cleary.

"My daughter spent a week in Chicago in December, but she is now even acquainted with the man named."

RETURNS FROM VACATION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—First Lieutenant E. E. McCammon, Third Infantry, Philippines division, who is spending a two months' leave of absence visiting relatives in Shasta county, registered at army headquarters today.

TARIFF ON FOODS MAY BE REDUCED

Fifteen Bills Entered in House by Representative From Illinois.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—This is what the House did today:

Humphreys of Washington introduced a bill prohibiting ships in transAtlantic shipping combine from entering or clearing from United States ports under penalty of $200 for each passenger and the forfeiture of merchandise brought to such ports.

Mann of Illinois introduced fifteen bills, removing tariff on a large number of articles of food. Bills referred to ways and means committee.

The Senate was not in session today.

Old Dobbin Is Again Outclassed by Auto

Old Dobbin again has been outclassed by an automobile in an economy test in Danville, Ill., corroborating the result of a similar test in Greater New York last October. The horse and the automobile were pitted against each other on a fair basis to determine their relative maintenance cost under actual conditions of service. The result of the test showed that the Maxwell automobile incurred a passenger mile cost of one and eighty-eight one-hundredth cents, while the cost of the horse and buggy was two and four-tenths cents per passenger mile. These figures do not vary from the New York figures more than one-tenth of a cent per passenger mile in either case. They showed that while the service was far different from that of the New York test the Maxwell automobile was consistent in its reliability as well as in its upkeep cost.

Rock Island Road to Open Sacramento Office

Owing to the increased traffic which is being handled by the Rock Island through its affiliation with the Western Pacific, the company has decided to reopen its Sacramento offices which were closed at the time of the financial depression in 1907.

Official announcement has not yet been made but with the appointment of W. E. Gibbs to take charge of the office, it was learned that it would be opened as soon as arrangements for suitable accommodations could be effected.

TURNED NECKLACE INTO READY CASH

Son of Late President of France in Trouble in Paris Courts.

PARIS Jan. 7.—Claude Casimir-Perier, son of the late president of the republic, is in the courts in a rather vulgar and mercenary dispute with jewelers over a collar of pearls worth $30,000. It is alleged he bought the collar on credit and immediately borrowed $12,000 on it from another jeweler.

Casimir-Perier admits this and proceeds to explain:

A friend named Levy asked him for a loan. Casimir-Perier had little ready money, so at Levy's suggestion he went to Janisch, a jeweler, who let him have the pearl collar. Janisch understood perfectly that the necklace was to be hypothecated for immediate cash, so Casimir-Perier took it to another jeweler and borrowed $12,000 on it, promising to redeem it in a fortnight.

DID NOT SEND NOTICE.

This he failed to do because, he declared, the jeweler did not send him notice that the fortnight had expired, as he agreed to, but promptly sold the pearls for $12,000. Then Janisch pressed payment of the $30,000. Casimir-Perier vows he declined to pay only because he suspected collusion between Janisch and the other jeweler.

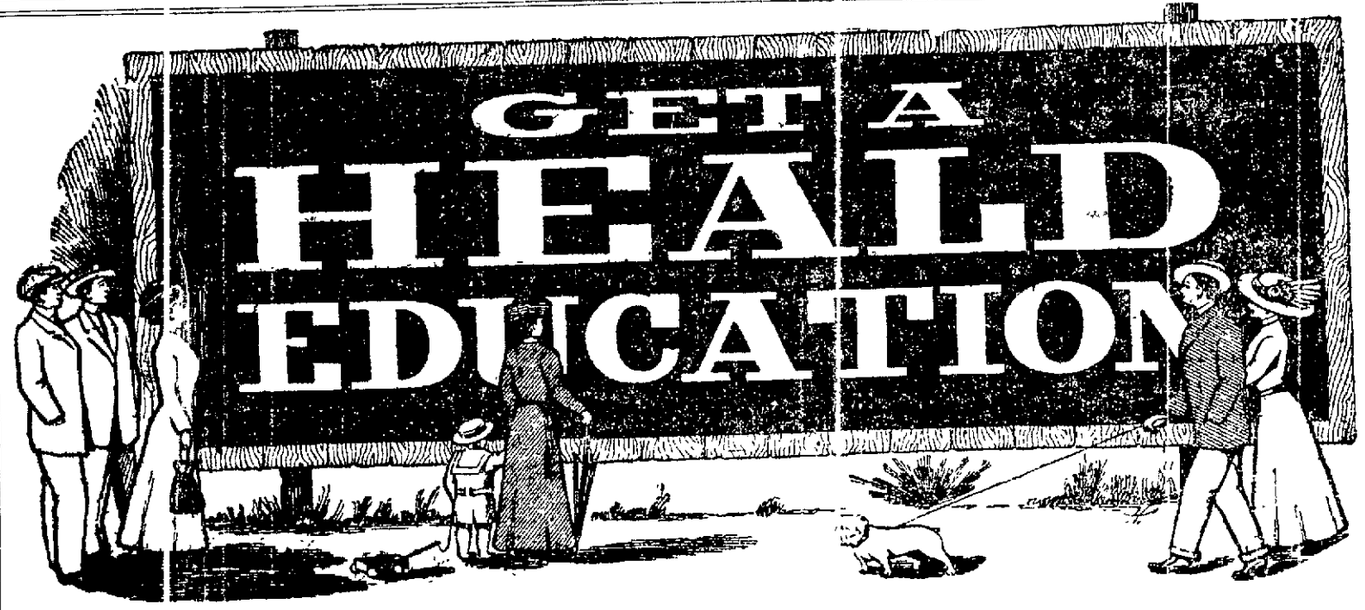
As Mme. Semone le Bargy, wife of the famous leading man of the Comedie Francaise, Casimir-Perier's wife was in the foremost rank of French actresses.

Judge Carroll Cook to Lecture On 'Life'

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The Beth Israel Club will hold a public literary and educational evening in the vestry rooms of the synagogue of the Congregation Beth Israel, Geary street, near Fillmore, next Wednesday.

Carroll Cook, former superior judge of this city, will be the speaker of the evening, taking for his subject, "Life." Other speakers will be Rabbi M. S. Levy, who will speak on "The Making of an American Citizen," and Elliott M. Epsteen, president of the organization.

This is the first of a series of such evenings to be held during the coming season.



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Ambitious and Discriminating Young People of Alameda County Prefer to Attend

Heald's Oakland Business College

"The Popular School"

THOSE WHO HAVE INVESTIGATED WILL TELL YOU THAT THE HEALD COURSES OF STUDY ARE STANDARD; THAT THE HEALD TEACHERS ARE THE BEST OBTAINABLE AND THAT THE HEALD FACILITIES ARE SUPERIOR TO ALL OTHERS. YOUR CHOICE OF A POSITION IN EITHER OAKLAND OR SAN FRANCISCO WHEN YOU GRADUATE. THE SOONER YOU ENROLL THE SOONER YOU WILL BE EARNING A GOOD SALARY. YOU MAY REGISTER ANY DAY. VISITORS WELCOME.

FREE CATALOGUE UPON REQUEST

T. B. BRIDGES, Mgr., San Pablo Avenue at 16th Street

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We Want Your Name on Our Books

Furs and Fur Coats Must Go! Prices Way Down

This stock of Fur Coats represents the very newest conceits of the season in all the favored Furs of the day.

$85.00 Astrachan Coats	$48 50
$95.00 Marmot Coats now	$62 50
$75.00 Pony Coats now	$45 00
$85.00 Pony Coats now	$48 50
$50.00 Coney Coats now	$33 50
All Plush and Caracul Coats that formerly sold for $32.50 reduced to	$19 50

Trimmed Hats Radically Reduced

All trimmed Hats reduced for immediate clearance
One lot, many styles, special 95c.
Trimmed Hat variety of styles $1 45
Others reduced to $2 15 and $3 45

Silk Waists at Saving Prices

Big line of handsome Silk Waists reduced—see windows

Plain and Plaited Waists worth $6 50 now $3 15
Special assortment of Silk Waists worth up to $10 00 now $3 85

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

THE MONEY-SAVING EVENT OF THE DAY

Nothing Reserved

Everything Reduced From One-Third to One-Half

This mid-season Clearance Sale is the greatest in point of value-giving we have ever attempted—every Suit, every Coat, every Fur, and in fact, every garment that remains of our Fall and Winter stock must absolutely be closed out at once to make room for Spring goods. The sale taking place in mid-season, when winter apparel is most wanted, makes it, with the savings offered, an event that should forcibly attract the attention of every woman in Alameda county.

No Extra Charge for Credit—Nothing Off for Cash

GREATEST SUIT SALE EVER HELD IN OAKLAND

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SAVING THAT SHOULD INSTANTLY ATTRACT EVERY WOMAN IN ALAMEDA COUNTY

We state without fear of contradiction that our Suit Section offers values hitherto unequaled—included are the smartest models advanced this season in all the favored fabrics of the day There are "hobbles" in the extreme and modified effects; also novelty suits in a multiplicity of attractive patterns, exquisitely tailored.

We call particular attention to the class of merchandise included in this sale—there is not a left-over or a last season's garment in the entire stock—a condition that can't help but exist when we adhere to our policy of absolutely cleaning up our surplus after each season—we COURT A COMPARISON OF VALUES AND QUALITY—SEE THE WINDOWS AND BECOME CONVINCED

These suits present the cream of the season's productions in fabrics and patterns confined exclusively to us.

Whether your purchase is for cash or a credit transaction you receive the same treatment and the same value during this sale—we solicit the credit customer and suggest that if you are not acquainted with our methods that you take advantage of this sale to open a trial account and save money—pay as suits your convenience

In buying we do not duplicate our models—suits offered now are virtually new—not the tag end of duplicated styles.

NOVELTY SUITS

$47 50 reduced to	$25 00
$30 00 reduced to	$17 50
$45 00 reduced to	$25 00
$27 50 reduced to	$12 50

Only one or two suits of a style but a complete range of sizes

MIXTURE SUITS

$50 00 Novelty Suits	$29 50
$40 00 Suits now	$22 50
$65 00 Suits reduced to	$32 50
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Greater values than these have never been offered

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Coats Priced for the Immediate Clearance of Every Garment

A handsome assortment of mixture and serge Coats at prices averaging from a third to a half off the original prices

The styles include the accepted popular models of the day, with the new military or turn down collar

$32 50 Coats of heavy blue and black cheviots $19 50
$18 50 Coats of broadcloth in tan, black and navy $11 50
Heavy Coats of the new fancy mixtures reduced from $17 50 to $10 00

Marabouts Priced to Close Out

Every Marabout in the house has been reduced—no hunting required—check the prices in the windows

$ 8 00 Marabouts reduced to $11 95
$20 00 Marabouts reduced to $18 45

Silk Petticoats at Saving Prices

Our entire stock of handsome Taffeta Petticoats—every garment in stock included in this sale—comprising all of the correct styles

$6 00 Taffeta Petticoats $3 15
$7 50 Taffeta Silk Petticoats $4 85

From One-Third to One-Fourth Off All Skirts

12th St. Clay Mantheim Mayer 12th St. Clay

All Velvet and Cloth Dresses One-Half Off

ENORMOUS LOSSES CAUSED BY FIRE

Property Valued at $234,470,750 Destroyed in United States and Canada in 1910

CHICAGO, Jan. 7. — Statistics made public here show that losses by fire in the United States and Canada in 1910 amounted to $234 470 750 or over $20 000 000 more than the losses in 1909 December losses were exceptionally heavy, aggregating $21 528 000

There were 36 fires during the year which caused a damage of $500 000 or more and in 10 the loss exceeded $1 000 000 each In only two preceding years have the fire losses been heavier than in 1910, one being the year of the Chicago fire the other of the San Francisco

Federal and state officials agree that the majority of these losses are preventable In spite of the increase in loss it is stated that the average rate of fire insurance shows a reduction in 191

SOLVES A DEEP MYSTERY

I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart wrote C P Rodgers of Lexington W Va for the wonderful double benefit I got from Electric Bitters curing me of both a severe case of stomach trouble and of rheumatism from which I had been an almost helpless sufferer for ten years. Nothing else ever did me any good. Electric Bitters is a grand stomach and liver tonic and blood purifier that cures all forms of kidney trouble. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50 cents at Owl Drug Store

TELEPHONE SAVES NINE FROM DEATH

Physician Arrives Just in Time to Resuscitate Family and Guests.

NAPERVILLE Ill Jan 7 Summoned by a telephone call on the eighteenth floor the local physician arrived at the home of Mrs Reese a fashionable boarding house in Chicago to find Mrs Reese and eight guests overcome by gas escaping from a defective stove in the kitchen

While physician worked over the victims of the gas Mrs Reese who had called the doctor ran to the telephone and notified the police of the hotel

Patrolman Thomas Nolan who was on guard in the lobby of the hotel heard the police call and rushed to the apartment of Mrs Reese on the eighteenth floor He found the nine persons unconscious and carried them one by one to the elevator which he had called the physician

MRS. HOFF HIDES SECRET SORROW

Resigns Presidency of the Students' Hotel for Unexplained Reason.

PARIS Jan 7 — Mystery that has enveloped the resignation of Mrs Whitwell Hoff as president of the Students' hotel in the Latin quarter the fashionable rendezvous of students from all parts of the world has been cleared away by the announcement that Mrs Hoff was to be married to Charles Nelson an American artist of Chicago

Mrs Hoff was a wealthy widow when she married Whitwell Hoff a young American artist who was studying in Paris Mrs Hoff established the hotel for students in memory of her husband who died suddenly in Paris

PET CHARITY

One of her pet charities is the Students' Hotel and the new home of the Michael which is a favorite charity of the American girls of the quarter Mrs Whitwell Hoff is a leader in the movement to establish the home and it was at the conclusion of the annual entertainment given by the students for the benefit of the institution that Mrs Hoff announced her resignation

Many guesses have been made as to the reason for the sudden withdrawal of Mrs Hoff from the management of the hotel although still holding the secret Mrs Hoff told her friends that she would continue her financial patronage of the school Her action so it does not seem to be a monetary embarrassment

ADVICE IN BOOK

She has special words for the girls a book of serious thoughts for young women and presented a beautifully bound copy to each of the 100 students inscribed on the register of the hostel This was her farewell

Now the great question in the Latin quarter is who will succeed Mrs Hoff The most prominent candidates were Mrs G Labouchere the daughter of Mrs Hoff who married a Brussels banker and Miss Harjes a daughter of the venerable banker of the firm of Morgan Harjes & Co in the Boulevard Haussman

LITTLE CHANGE IN WALL STREET

Broad Demand for Bonds and Other Issues Well Sustained

NEW YORK Jan 7 — The week of the new year closed with a general buying movement in all departments of Wall Street Professional traders who sold stocks short on the theory that the reaction from the high prices of last week would be followed by further liquidation were disappointed Commission houses reported an unusually small number of orders to sell stocks in the early trading and the market showed a firmer tone

Interest in the market centered in the bond department Transactions were the largest for any single day since the Harriman bonds were put on the market in the autumn of 1907 Total sales were $5 000 000 par value

Of the issues dealt in the Atchison 4s were the most active and strong gaining 1 1/2 per cent Missouri Pacific 4s were also strong and advanced 1 per cent Total sales of stocks were 1 000 000 shares

Wants Missing Man Declared Legally Dead

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7 Mrs Rose Brandt of this city was granted letters of administration this morning on the estate of her husband Leopold Brandt who disappeared seven years ago from the steamer Columbia while on a voyage from Portland to San Francisco Mrs Brandt will receive $10 000 in insurance and $40 000 in property according to figures given out

Legislation is necessary before some of the millions left by Harriman can be turned into the treasury of the United States Secretary MacVeagh and Attorney General Wickersham will confer with Congressional leaders this week in the hope of framing a bill that will meet with the approval of both houses of Congress

ECONOMY REFORMS PLANNED FOR U.S.

Millions to Be Saved When Needed Legislation Is Effected

WASHINGTON Jan 7 Economies which will eventually amount to more than $1 000 000 a year have been effected in the executive service during the administration of Secretary MacVeagh and additional economies which will total the sum of $ 1000 a year are contemplated according to figures given out

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Native Sons Will Install Their Officers

Native Sons of the Golden West will gather as guests of Bay View parlor No 298 at Alcatraz hall next Wednesday evening to attend the ceremony of installation of the newly elected officers of the parlor The ceremonial of installation will be a public one and will be followed by a dance and supper

Extensive preparations are being made to make the affair a success The following committee has the arrangements in charge W J Doran D J Niman, George Wilson and Fred Walsh

RETURNS TO HIS POST.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—First Lieutenant A M Tasker, medical corps who has been spending a two months' leave of absence in the East returned to duty at the Presidio of San Francisco today Mrs Tasker, who has never been in California before, came west with her husband and they will establish a home at the Presidio

Davis Schonwasser Co

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Will Commence Monday, January 9th at 9 a. m.

SUNDAY, January 8, 1911

OAKLAND TRIBUNE EDITORIAL PAGE

W. E. DARGIE President

The Political Outlook for 1912.

Should Congress pass the Crumpacker apportionment bill and Arizona and New Mexico be finally admitted as States there will be 583 votes in the Electoral College of 1912, necessitating 267 votes to elect the President. Every section of the Union will gain in representation. New England with three additional Congressmen, will show the smallest gain. The six down east States will have a total of forty-four votes in the college. New York alone will have forty-five and Pennsylvania thirty-eight. The gains are apportioned as follows: Alabama, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah and West Virginia, one each; Illinois, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Texas and Washington two each; California and Oklahoma, three each; Pennsylvania and New York, six each.

It will be seen that the gains in the States west of the Missouri river are large. Counting Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, this western group of States will have twenty more votes in the lower House of Congress and an equal number in the Electoral College. Excluding Texas and Oklahoma, the gain will total fourteen, which will vastly increase the political power of the Far West. The three Pacific States will have six more Congressmen and six more electoral votes—fifty per cent more than the gain of all New England.

Including Missouri, West Virginia and Okalhoma, the southern group will have 172 electoral votes, 95 short of a majority of the Electoral College. New York, New Jersey and Indiana can furnish 94 more. But the score will then be still one short of enough to elect. The deficiency can be supplied by either Arizona, Montana, Colorado, Nebraska or Nevada. With Harmon as the nominee the Democrats would have a chance of winning the twenty-four votes of Ohio, in which case they could do without Indiana and the west. But everything depends upon New York. Without the vote of that State the Democrats cannot hope to win the Presidential election. They can carry New York and still lose by a big margin, for Missouri, Kentucky and Oklahoma are doubtful and West Virginia more than doubtful.

Notwithstanding the victory they gained last November, our Bourbon friends are far from having the better of the prospect for national election two years hence. They will have to keep their noses clean and put in their best licks to be in the running at all.

The talk about "kicking the Southern Pacific out of politics" is assuming a very definite meaning. It means simply that every man now holding office in this State who can be reached shall be turned out that the acolytes of the new dispensation may get the offices. When a man's job is wanted for another fellow it is only necessary to charge him with being friendly to the Southern Pacific to find an excuse for decapitating him, no matter how capable he may be or how worthily he has performed his official duties. Every Republican who has not affiliated with the Rowell-Lissner movement or acknowledged the right of Lissner and Rowell to control him rests under this charge. The fact that a man holds a place in the public service now is assumed to prove the truth of the charge. Every man whose job is wanted is tried and convicted without a hearing by the men who are hungry for his place. Under the plea that the people must rule, the new bosses are planning to make a clean sweep of the State employes that places may be made for their satellites and henchmen. The excuse for this wholesale spoils raid is the rankest humbug.

An Appreciation of the Late T. L. Barker.

Death has been pitiless to Oakland. The foremost rank of our men of enterprise has lost Samuel Alexander, Isaac Requa, Palmanteer, Butters and a long list of men valued in our community life. The list lengthens in the passing of Timothy L. Barker. He was a real pioneer, an argonaut who cast his lot with California three score and one years ago, when this was a virgin land. By his energy and enterprise his fortunes rose with the progress of the State, and all that he gathered and gained was not at the expense of another. All his long business record is as stainless as a star. His personal characteristics were especially charming. He was a man of clean mouth and exemplary speech. Considerate and thoughtful of others, he had a refinement of manners and that good taste that is called the conscience of the mind, too often lacking in business men. He was widely informed, a seeker after knowledge and a student of men and affairs with decided political views. As a partisan he was open-minded and generous, and was quick to note and unselfishly proclaim the good points in an opponent. It will be seen then that he filled entirely the place of a good citizen and a good man. A city of such men would be indeed the city beautiful in the private and public character of its people. He passed away in the fullness of age, but the example of his well ordered life will never grow old.

The foolish and frenzied Enquirer appears to be losing the scanty stock of wits it once possessed. It pretends to regard this paragraph in THE TRIBUNE as a fling at all our Jewish fellow citizens:

"As Meyer Lissner now has charge of California politics and legislation, the people will expect long-delayed laws for the regulation of pawnshops."

The Enquirer says this is "a dirty slur" on all Hebrews. The Enquirer has a very poor opinion of the intelligence of the Jewish people or it would not profess to regard a reference to the former calling of a political boss as an insult to their race. Meyer Lissner is not exempt from criticism because he is a Jew, and the Jewish people are no more responsible for his acts than the American people were responsible for the treason of Benedict Arnold. Lissner, at least, does not think his coreligionists are fools, as the editor of Enquirer evidently does. However, it is a waste of lather to shave an ass who insults a whole people by setting up a defense of them that is an affront to their pride and intelligence.

As to Lafayette Square.

The Park Commissioners were quite right in refusing to turn Lafayette Square into a playground for the high school students. Not that playgrounds for the students are not useful and desirable, but that considerations of public policy as well as legal authority forbid diverting Lafayette Square from the purpose to which it was dedicated. It was dedicated as a public park, and as a public park it should remain. The Park Commissioners have no right to give it to the high school as a playground for pupils. That would be to deprive the general public of the use of the square, which is not the property of the Park Commission to give away to anybody. Lafayette Square is a beauty spot and a resting place near the business heart of the city. It is where children play on the grass and the aged and friendless sit in the sun amid flowers and shrubbery; where shop girls eat their midday lunch on garden seats. All these would be driven away if the park were turned into a high school playground. The beauty of the place would be destroyed, and one of the city's choicest breathing spots closed to its owners, the general public. All the schools should have ample playgrounds, but it is not necessary that the wants of the school children should be supplied by robbing others of a pleasure and a possession that is rightfully theirs. If there is insufficient room on the high school lot for playgrounds let more ground be bought, but ground dedicated and improved as a public park should not be confiscated for the purpose. Let Lafayette Square be. It is a gem as it is. If the Park Commission should give it to the high school, it would not be long before the park adjacent to the Lincoln school would be demanded as a playground.

No sooner had the public revolted against the hobble skirt than the newly-elected Governor of Oklahoma rushed it to the sartorial arena with the "jimswinger coat." This garment appears to have been an inspiration of jimswinger politics. It ought to be popular in Sacramento just now.

"LET GEORGE DO IT"

—MINNEAPOLIS JOURNAL.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

Happiness is the bright side of life, while discord darkens and distorts our view and makes us to sin against and sour our liver.

A rule isn't a good one unless it works both ways; most parental rules are those the father loves to make and the son loves to break.

Kindness is king and rules the hearts of men; love makes you do your part and as you love you gain a place in your neighbor's heart.

To know that you know and with a willingness to do you are ready to have greatness thrust upon you; all progress is made only when you know that a "spade's a spade."

It's nature's design that man should be divine and that he must deserve her best gifts before he may get them; man's endurance is his only assurance of the favors of fate.

Man gets his freedom by serving his friends, but he brings despair and defeat unto himself if he demand that his enemies bow down to him.

Love is the mighty power which rules where kings cannot control; love gets what greed can never get and it lifts humanity to lofty heights.

OUR NATIONAL DEFENSE

Some years ago Great Britain got into a blue funk over the problem of national defenselessness.

The nation had an acute panic from which it has not yet recovered.

Ultimately, one of those royal commissions of which the British government is so fond, headed by Lord Somebody or other, was sent to Switzerland to find out how the Swiss managed it.

There are only about 5,000,000 of them, landlocked and surrounded by great powers.

From the days of Caesar they have been compelled to fight from time to time for their independence, and they still have it. How?

That was what the royal commission set out to learn, and it made a report on the Swiss military organization which some frightened American statesman could read with profit at this time.

Applying as far as possible the Swiss method to the situation of the United States, as Secretary Dickinson's sensational report has laid that situation before the public, it is evident that an adequate defense can be maintained without ruining the country.

The success of the plan lies in the national militia—the national guard.

Virtually every man in Switzerland capable of bearing arms is trained sufficiently to make him an effective soldier if his services may be needed.

The country could put 500,000 men in the field, and all of them would know how to shoot straight and how to maneuver.

Excellent officers are trained to handle any force that may be called out.

Everybody is proud of his part in the scheme of national defense.

The American national guard offers the basis of such an organization as this country needs.

It is ten times more efficient and useful today than before the Spanish war, and it is getting better every year.

It could be extended and expanded to provide easily a basis of 500,000 men out of which to mould an army in time of need.

The important thing is to have guns and ammunition and equipment always ready for the time of need.

A strong navy—strong enough for defense in any emergency—is necessary.

A huge standing army is not.

The militia, rightly organized, will provide just what it does—our little potential strength to keep other powers in peaceful mood.—Philadelphia Times.

Decline in Drinking

Eighty-eight consolidated rate summonses were dealt with at the Guildhall recently, the defendants including a number of license holders and hotelkeepers whose appearance was regarded in some quarters as a sign of decadence of the publican's trade in the city.

"City publicans," said the manager of one of the oldest licensed houses on the square mile yesterday, "besides being burdened by higher license duties, are feeling the effects of the great decline in drinking among business men. Drinking is rapidly going out of fashion in the city.

"Business is no longer done over a whiskey and soda. Men now come to the city at 10 in the morning, rush through their work and leave about 5 or 6 in the evening. The result is that the public house is neglected.—London Mail.

A Sermon in Praise of the Average Man

By REV. WM. DAY SIMMONDS, Pastor First Unitarian Church.

REV. W. D. SIMONDS.

Thomas Carlyle was of the opinion that the Book of Job may be called "one of the grandest things ever written with pen. A "Noble book; all men's book." At the close of this "noble book" we read that Job, made wise by his suffering, answered the Lord and said, "Behold, I am of small account." Perhaps these words would not have been unbecoming, or untrue, if they had been spoken by the greatest man that ever lived. Sometimes it seems that the whole human race is of small account. If in some grand catastrophe, such as science deems possible, our little world were dashed to pieces it would scarcely be missed in the ongoings of the mighty universe.

Now, if such reflections are true of the race as a whole, and of the greatest and best of men, how much more may the average man, the honest, plodding man, reflect upon the vanity of his life, the futility of his work, and the fatal lack of meaning which attaches to his whole existence.

Yes, so it would appear. But let the common man straightway comfort himself with this axiomatic truth, that the common is everywhere the indispensable. Even in nature this is true. Our goodly earth could get on very well without the monster mountains that pierce the sky, but the average mountain range forming the backbone of a continent is indispensable. We could better spare the majestic river than the countless streams that through all the states find their way to the sea. The eye is gladdened on every side by the "modest, crimson tipped flower," and life is sustained by the average yield of orchard and farm. Again, I say, always and everywhere it is the common, the average, that is indispensable. For upon average strength, and average excellence is based the superior attainments and achievements of civilization. If the Deity were to destroy all of the human race, saving only the brilliant, the sagacious, the superman, then it would be wise to conclude the work—there would be so few left—and these would probably be unable to pass their greatness on to posterity. According to ancient legend the almighty once destroyed all mankind with the exception of Noah and his family. The superman was saved, but alas! when the flood subsided the patriarch took to drink and the race was no better than before. The experiment was a failure for the world is not saved by the deeds of the exceptional man—though these have great place and worth—but by the slow and faithful progress of the common people toward truth, and right, and liberty.

God bless the common laborer. He goes forth in early morning to his task, with no high hopes of wealth or fame. He will do his duty and make a home for wife and babe. We could get on without the great financier, but not without the humble son of toil. He is the common soldier in the army of industry, and with his good right arm wins all our victories.

God bless the average farmer. His name does not appear in our agricultural reports, but our prosperity is based upon his hand-to-hand struggle with nature.

God bless the average toiler in all ranks of life, in school, and state, and church. The common man and his wife,

"DOLLAR DIPLOMACY"

The triumphs of "dollar diplomacy" have about silenced the snap-judgment critics, who laughed it to scorn before Secretary Knox had a chance to vindicate that course for the advancement of our commercial interests abroad. The secretary has used the resources of the Department of State to such good effect that the results in the aggregate are well-nigh monumental. A new meaning is given to American diplomacy and a new impulse imparted to American commerce. Barriers which in the past have kept us from participating in foreign finance and development enterprises have been broken down, and the door of opportunity permanently opened. The new policy has come to stay, for there yet remains much to be done which cannot be accomplished through any other agency. A statement in detail of what has been done up to date has been given out by Assistant Secretary Huntington Wilson, as follows:

"Through the efforts of the State Department we have secured for American shipbuilders contracts for two large battleships for the Argentine navy, which will bring here $32,000,000 to go to American workmen and be applied to the purchase of American material. We also got contracts for railway equipment in Argentina amounting to $2,430,000; contracts for the building of two ships for Cuba, to cost about $900,000; contracts for furnishing armor and armament for the Argentine navy, amounting to $1,000,000; contracts for furnishing paper to a large Latin-American newspaper, amounting to about $200,000 per annum; the opening up of the Hukuang loan agreement in China so as to permit Americans to have an equal share with the citizens of foreign governments in financing and supplying materials for a railroad in Central China to cost upward of $30,000,000; a contract for the construction of a railway to be financed with American capital and supplied in part with American material, together with harbor works and other industrial improvements in Manchuria, representing an investment of about $40,000,000. We are also assured of succeeding in concluding a loan to China of $50,000,000, which will greatly improve business conditions in China, and, therefore, aid American commerce."—Indianapolis Star.

COMMERCE IN 1910

Assuming a fair volume of business for the present month, the foreign commerce of the United States for 1910 will equal, and may by a few thousands of dollars exceed, that of any earlier year. The imports thus far indicate a total for the year of nearly $1,550,000,000, an increase of $75,000,000 over the purchases of 1909 and of 50 per cent over those of 1904, when imports for the first time crossed the million-dollar line. It is probable that exports will exceed $1,800,000,000, falling short of the 1907 record mark by about $100,000,000. Three years ago exports of breadstuffs, meat and dairy products and food animals amounted to $413,000,000. Shipments in 1910 will be about one-half that. The failure to make an export record this year is attributable to that fact. Cotton prices have been a strong factor in bringing the export total to so high a point this year. In 1907 our bills against the rest of the world for raw cotton show the sale of 8,121,844 bales, valued at $468,972,924. The bills for the first eleven months of 1910 show 5,726,948 bales sold for $427,136,154. The bills for the full year will in all probability materially exceed $500,000,000.

Shipments of breadstuffs for the eleven months ended November, this year, show a value of $84,000,000. The average of the same months of the four preceding years was $56,000,000. Meat and dairy products show a drop to $97,589,000 from an average of $150,000,000, and cattle, sheep and hogs a drop to $7,603,000 from an average of $25,000,000. Mineral oil shipments, at $81,000,000, are about $4,500,000 below the average. Shipments of copper have been normal, and sales of other metals and of metal products show wholesome increase. The gain in leather and leather goods exported has been considerable, and there have been satisfactory increases in the sales of agricultural implements, automobiles, coal, fruits and nuts, furs and furskins, rubber, electrical appliances, naval stores, wood and manufactures of wood, and a long list of minor commodities. Manufactured cottons make their usual shabby exhibition.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS

The inauguration of a postal savings-bank system in this country on January 3 will be on a small scale the appropriation limiting the number of postoffices ready on that date to one second-class office in each state. But the important thing is the beginning here of a plan for the promotion of public thrift which in other countries long ago passed beyond the experimental stage.

Postal savings banks now exist in more countries, including Russia, where they were established in 1889. They have been in operation in England since 1861, with a success that is attested by the increase in the number of depositors from 7,239,761 in 1897 to 10,699,555 in 1907. There is due British postal savings-bank depositors $787,500,385, or approximately three times the amount on deposit at trustee savings banks; though it is not much more than half the deposits of the savings banks of New York State.

Postal depositors here will receive interest at the rate of per cent as against 2½ in England. All deposits are withdrawable on demand, with interest, and are exchangeable in sums of from $20 to $500 for United States bonds of like denomination, drawing interest at 2½ per cent. In cities possessing well-established savings banks under State supervision, depositors will naturally show a preference for these, as paying a higher rate. But in rural districts and communities devoid of such facilities, postoffice banks should furnish an added incentive to save.—New York World.

WESTERN LAND MOVEMENT

It is one of the notable changes in the condition of the West that the small bank has become a large factor in financial affairs. For many years the farmer was the one individual to whom the West looked for its prosperity and for management of its business. Upon him everything seemed to depend, but as the small bank developed it placed in a prominent position in Western finance thousands of men whose attention was given entirely to the handling of the farmers' savings. In consequence they have become to a large extent the balance wheel that maintains a steady condition for the financial situation. It was the banker who called a halt on the land speculation. The farmer himself had no idea in that direction. He was ambitious to extend his properties and acquire new holdings without considering what might be the effect upon business or the supply of money.

On the whole, the land movement has assumed a much more substantial and sane basis and one which gives less concern to the banking interests, though it has not yet returned to the complete normal condition that bankers desire. The good prices for crops of all kinds if maintained will rapidly accomplish this, and if the banking interests and the loan companies maintain their present plan of conservative action and discourage speculation in every form there ought soon to be a modification of present financial conditions.—North American Review.

20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

The father of Jim Corbett announces that he will appeal to the Grand Jury of San Francisco to prevent his son's fight with Peter Jackson. Jim, however, is steadfast and declares that he will fight, no matter what course his father pursues.

The new directory of the Reliance Club has organized for the work of 1891 with the following officers: F. G. S. Dunbar, Arthur Pope, P. H. Rembard, J. H. Ames, Fred Bush, J. W. Tomkins and R. M. Fitzgerald.

Dr. S. S. Merrill died yesterday afternoon at the home of his son, Clarence S. Merrill, on Bancroft way near Shattuck avenue, Berkeley. Dr. Merrill had been an invalid for the last ten years, but was not considered seriously ill until within the last two weeks. He leaves two sons, C. S. and A. B. Merrill.

Joseph Jonas of San Bernardino, of the firm of Jonas & Brother, David Jonas of Santa Cruz and Leo Jonas of New York City are here to attend the the wedding of their brother, A. Jonas, which will occur this evening.

The engagement is announced of Deputy Coroner Henry Evers Jr. and Miss Avalie Bassett daughter of Alonzo Bassett, the contractor. Evers is a popular member of Piedmont Parlor, N. S. G. W. and Miss Bassett is a Native Daughter and member of Monarch Parlor. The wedding will take place in August.

Mrs. Mary T. Kirk, treasurer of the West Oakland Home, has rendered her annual report, in which she states that the receipts during the year were as follows: Parents of guardians, $1068.50, dues, $553.50, donations, $1040.82; State aid, $12,280, entertainments, $98.87; interest, $98.07; total, $15,022.24. The total disbursements were $14,712.29.

Charles H. Overacker and Fred Maillot have been appointed by the Board of Supervisors to list the mortgages for the County Assessor.

When King Kalakua was about to leave on his trip to the southern part of the State, George H. Whitney of this city was invited to accompany the royal party. He met the king at his island kingdom three years ago and was magnificently entertained there by his regal host.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Golden Gate Association No. 3, National Association of Stationary Engineers, held last night, the following were elected and installed officers for the ensuing year: J. C. Layton, president; A. Atwell, vice-president; H. LaPerle, secretary; Paul Brant, financial secretary; George D. Laxton, treasurer.

Charles L. Hughes, who is employed in Pierce Bros. Hardware store, had a narrow escape from death this morning when a heavy box of iron brackets fell from a top shelf and struck him on the collar. Had it not been for a shout of warning by another clerk he would have been killed.

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their graves may be marked, "Unknown," but ever and forever Schiller's lines hold true:

"What shall I do to be forever known?
Thy duty ever;
This did full many who sleep unknown;
Oh, never, never;
Think'st thou perchance that they remain unknown
Whom thou knowest not?
By angel trumps in Heaven their praise is blown—
Divine their lot."

This World's People

According to friends of Richard Pearson Hobson, that ardent man is preparing a lengthy opinion on Carnegie's peace gift.

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Senator Lorimer will be an issue in the next campaign, say those who know Illinois politics from the inside.

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Rodriguez, over which reported brushing Mexico and the United States almost came to blows, is alive and well.

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A monument to Mary Ball Washington, mother of George Washington, has been erected at Fredericksburg, Va.

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President Lowell of Harvard is opposing the college yell and is privately organized cheering.

Bachelor Musings

The man who works by the clock will never own the clock.

When a man is broke and grows fat the laugh is on him.

Ever notice how narrow-minded a cheesy man is likely to be?

Not one grievance in a hundred is worth the time it takes to air it.

RELIEF SOCIETY IN PROSPEROUS CONDITION

Charity Workers Get Report of Recording Secretary for Year.

FORTY YEARS SPENT IN WORK IN OAKLAND

Many Helpless Children and Infirm Persons Are Given Helping Hand.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Relief Society of Oakland, Cal., held on January 5, the following report of the recording secretary was read

'The Ladies' Relief Society has reached the fourth decade of its existence, another milestone, where we may pause and review the forty years spent in ministering to the wants of helpless children and infirm old age. How many of both have found comfort within our sheltering walls!

"We may reckon the year just passed as a fortunate one for among the children a condition of good health has been unusually prevalent, while the old people have been fairly blest also, though the accompaniment of age was often hard to bear with the utmost alleviation that can be devised

TWENTY-EIGHT CARED FOR.

"The number whom we have cared for during the year has been twenty-eight, of whom very few are invalids One gentle spirit passed away from the family circle last spring and was followed by another during the recent holidays

"The children have numbered one hundred and twenty-five, divided between the children's home and the nursery In the latter building twenty-nine babies have been tenderly cared for These range from a few weeks old to four years as many as seven at a time being tiny infants requiring unremitting attention on the part of the matron and her assistants A third baby boy has greatly improved in health since his treatment by Dr Thomas, but no hopes are held out for his sight Abandoned by his parents the little one seems indeed to have a dark future before him but the halo of human kindness shall be shed around him as long as he is a charge of this society.

STANDING GOOD

"The standing of the older children in school is good, especially that of the girls The services of an efficient kindergarten teacher have been secured by the generosity of Mrs William Henshaw thus relieving us of considerable expense and furnishing a great educational advantage to the little ones composing the class

Christmas day was made a very happy time for all The entertainment, with a tree held at the children's home, was delightful and many gifts were bestowed on old and young Both money and toys had been donated generously for the festivities The children were invited later to the entertainment at St Mark's church Berkeley where they received gifts and had much enjoyment

$500 LEGACY

Through the will of the late Miss Lot Kahn, a legacy of $700 was bequeathed to the Ladies Relief Society for which we are most grateful The sum of $100 from Mr Charles Barker $25 from a friend, to be used on the nursery playground and $25 from a friend of Mrs Manning for the nursery were among the cash donations

Other donations have consisted of clothing, the candy and eggs from Mrs Albert Miller dolls and aprons from the girls in Miss O'Neil's class books clothing glasses etc from Mrs Requa fruit from Mr J Hoyard Smith a communion service from the Presbyterian church Ukiah (through Miss Reeves) clothing for the nail cuts skirts dresses pinning blankets buggy robe etc from Mrs Bennet apples and peanuts from Mrs J Wright clothing from Miss Sanderson Mrs Hanby and the needlework guild and subscriptions to magazines and papers from Mrs Phelps and Mrs Beach

DONATIONS TO FETE

Donations to the May fete held in Mosswood last spring amounted $116 The sum of $1 of 90 was realized on that occasion by sales and admission

A sale of fancy articles held by Trinity Guild of Trinity church Oakland one third of the profits was generously turned over to the Ladies Relief Society

The Rev Rev Dr Bakewell, to whom we are indebted for repeated kindnesses was instrumental in having our city taxes reduced materially

We are under great obligations to Dr Haynes Dr Thomas and Dr Lee for their valuable services and to the different clergymen who have so kindly officiated at our Sunday services as well as on other occasions

We also thank the press for its generous consideration and courtesy

THANKSGIVING HAPPY.

"Thanksgiving day was made a very happy one for all on the premises The dinners in the two homes were delicious Turkeys were donated by Rev Dr Rakewell Miss Shepard Miss Murray Johnson Mrs Walter Morgan Mrs William Henshaw Miss Crellin and Miss Brown candy from Mrs Ransome's school Miss Neal's class and others and dried peaches from Mr Anderson among other good things

The young ladies of Miss Ransome's school invited six of our orphan girls to Hallowe'en party which was a delightful treat for them

We would ask the public to remember us during the coming year hoping that the number of monthly subscribers may increase who greatly means so much to the development of our work which involves bringing the good cheer of the Holidays during many months succeeding and but by no means least insuring the degree of comfort and well being for our old people and improvement of our children which has always been the aim of the Ladies Relief Society

Respectfully submitted,

LUCY C BROWNE
Recording Secretary

ON RETIRED LIST

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—Colonel Joseph B Girard, medical corps has been relieved from active duty and placed on the retired list to date from December 26, 1910.

WANT IMMIGRATION TURNED TOWARD THE WEST

Call Sent Out for Organization of the Western Development Association.

MANY STATES SEEK ALIENS AS RESIDENTS

Railroad Men Optimistic As to Outlook and Offer Every Aid.

OMAHA Jan 7—In response to a demand from Western Governors, immigration officials and commercial associations for an association which shall devote its energies to turning the tide of immigration into the Western States, a call is being sent out from Omaha this week for a meeting to be held in that city between January 16 and 28 for the purpose of organizing the Western Development Association As the meeting is called on the advice of some powerful State and private interests, the organization promises to become potential in stopping the tide of people going from the Missouri and Mississippi valleys into Canada

Nebraska Colorado Wyoming Utah, Idaho Montana Washington, Oregon, Nevada, California and Arizona are the States which will take the lead in attempting to see that the new pioneers are turned from the south and from the Canadian Northwest into the most fertile and promising part of the United States

MUCH TO DO.

The organization of such an association for the purpose of devoting the next few years to the gigantic work of turning the trend of men and women toward the distinctively Western States was proposed by the publishers of the Omaha Daily Bee and the Twentieth Century Farmer which papers organized the Western Land Produce Exhibit with such an end in view The publishers consulted Western Governors heads of commercial organizations and railroad men That their idea is popular and will result in a more or less permanent association, is shown by the following replies received to the inquiry as to whether there was a demand for such an organization

HILL OPTIMISTIC

James J Hill chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern Railway 'Such an association should do a great deal of good if the wourk could be intelligently handled

J H Hall oCmmissioner of Agriculture of Montana The move is one in the right direction and an organization ought to be formed for that purpose

Joseph F Fallon Commissioner of Immigration for Idaho I believe such an association would do a great deal of good for the Western States and will lend any aid in my power

Governor J F Brady of Idaho "We are interested in the movement you suggest and do not hesitate to call on me for anything I can do

TO ADVANTAGE.

Colonel W E Skinner President Denver and Laramie Railroad The formation of an association looking directly to western development would be highly advantageous We feel very grateful to you for your suggestion and know every one in the West will

E J Lomax Passenger Traffic Manager Western Pacific Railroad We realize the practical results that can be accomplished by the proposed organization and we think we can assure you of a hearty welcome from the States of Utah Nevada and California and particularly from the Western Pacific Railroad which traverses these States

F I Fisher General Passenger Agent Colorado and Southern Railroad I would be a good plan to call such a meeting and I believe something really beneficial might result from the formation of such an association

SUGGESTION GOOD

George L McDonough Colonization Agent Union Pacific Railroad The suggestion is a good one as it will enlist and secure the co operation in each and every one of the States mentioned

F A Nash General Western Agent Chicago Milwaukee and St Paul Railway The forming of such an organization will certainly be of great benefit in securing immigration I shall be glad to co operate in any way in my power to further the organization of such an association

S F Miller General Freight and Passenger Agent Nebraska and Wyoming Division of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway I should say without hesitation that a great deal of good could be accomplished by just such an organization as you suggest

ANNEXED DISTRICT IS VERY ORDERLY

Eighteen Police Officers Have Practically Nothing to Do at Melrose

MELROSE Jan 7—Notwithstanding there are eighteen police officers on duty in the annexed district and reporting to the branch police station here no arrests have been found necessary for several days past after which is believed to indicate that the gangs of unruly fellows and former evil characters in the district have been disbanded or that the members have lost control of the organized coalition of affairs in regard to public safety One hundred and one house burglaries were reported during the last week in the entire annexed district the total monetary loss being less than $700

Among the new buildings going up is a two story eleven room flat and stores on the south side of East Fourteenth street 50 feet west of Ninety eighth avenue Fitzhugh & Lost $9 000 J H Hall is the builder

C Nielsen is having erected a private one story dwelling on the east side of Francis street south of Brookdale avenue at a cost of $ 500

Dorcas Society Is to Meet Next Thursday

HAYWARD Jan 7—The Dorcas Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its next meeting at the home of Miss Maud Lawrence on B street Thursday January 12 As this will be the first meeting of the new year a large attendance is expected.

Spring's Freshness in These Waists

Second Floor

Along with this sale of pretty white waists, and the host of styles at each price, comes news that Paris has popularized the two-piece tailored suit.

Naturally the shirt waist will be more in demand than ever this spring and summer. Buy the spring and summer supply now at these low sale prices.

Second Floor

98c Twenty styles at this price, of good white lawn, embroidery or lace trimmings Some with pretty side effect Lace trimmed waists with short sleeves. Embroidered waists with long sleeves

1.25 Ten different styles at this price, tailored linen or linene, prettily trimmed with embroidery or lace. Many have the newest side effects

Other Values 1.95 and 2.50

1.50 Ten different styles at 1.50, and every one truly beautiful White lawns and tailored linens, trimmed in the newest fashions with lace and embroidery Some have dainty hand embroidery.

Hale's GOOD GOODS

OAKLAND STORE

The Advance Guard of Spring

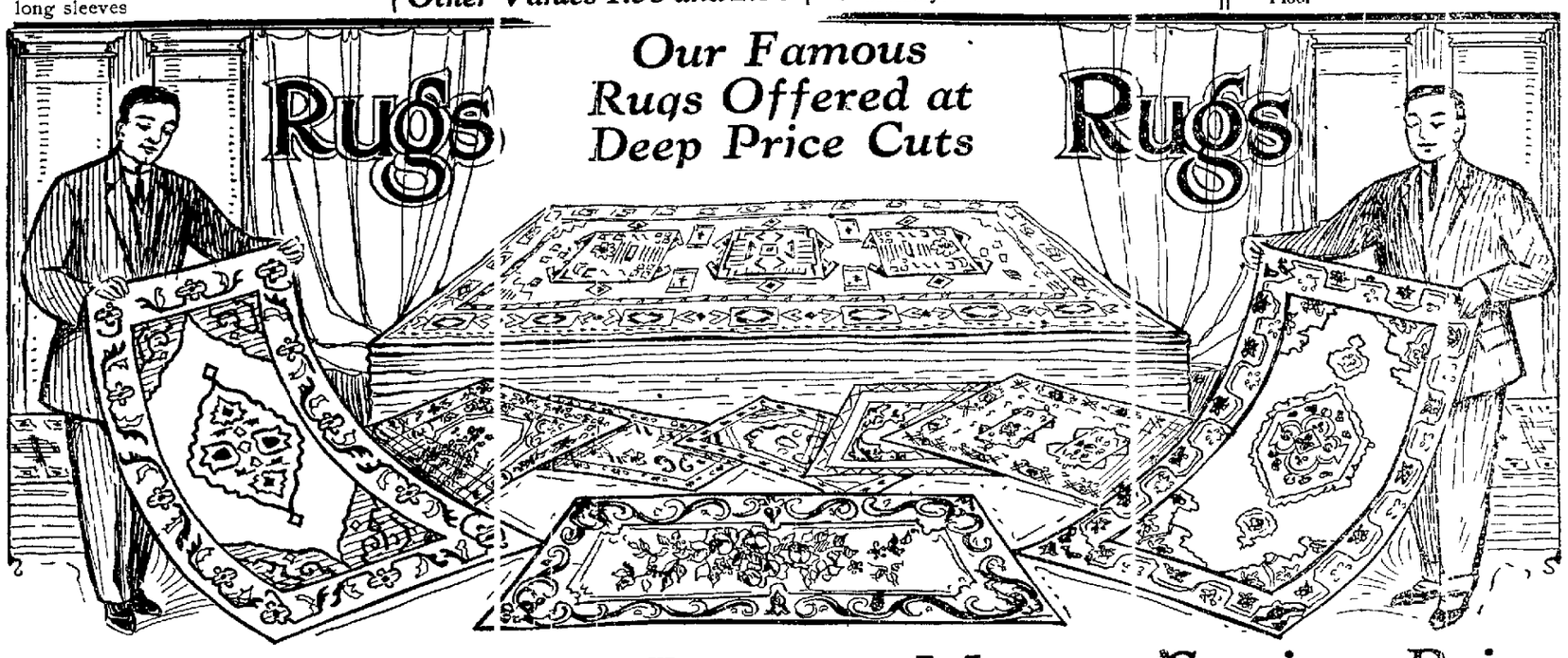
The dawning of Spring is at hand, and Hale's offers you tomorrow the opportunity of seeing the advance Spring styles for the season.

New Spring Suits, pretty Hats, dainty white Waists, Undermuslins, Dress Goods, Laces—such are a few of the offerings. Come tomorrow and let us show them to you.

New Royal Society Package Goods

Hale's offers tomorrow a complete new line of Royal Society Package Goods, 1911 patterns Every new style in these goods shown but the assortment is limited Come early and make first selections Second Floor

Our Famous Rugs Offered at Deep Price Cuts



1000 High-Quality Rugs at Money-Saving Prices

If you have the slightest interest in rug values at this moment—if you have any desire to find a rug that is worth every cent you pay for it—and much more—you will be satisfied beyond words tomorrow at Hale's. For we offer the highest class rugs—Alexander Smith & Sons'—at prices far below the usual standard. Note these price cuts and examine the rugs themselves tomorrow.

Smith's Tapestry Brussels	Smith's Best Grade Axminster	Smith's Velvet Rugs
7 50 6x9-foot rug now . . . 5 95	12 50 6x9 foot rug now 9 85	20 00 9x12 foot rug now 17 50
15 00 9x12-foot rug now 10 95	20 00 8½x10½ foot rug now . 14 50	23 00 9x12-foot rug now 17 50
	23 00 9x12-foot rug now 17 50	

Top-Notch Values in Undermuslins

A Great Sale, Successful Because Garments of Beauty and Quality Can Be Had With Little Demand Upon the Family Purse

The great popularity of this great Undermuslin Sale is accounted for by the fact that our quantities are tremendous, the quality the very finest for the money, and practically every garment allows a radical saving over usual markings

Night Gowns
50c, 79c, 89c, 95c, 1 00, 1 19 up to 5 00
Made of muslin, cambric or nainsook with high round V or square necks long or short sleeves Trimmings of laces ribbons and embroidery

Combinations
89c 1 00, 1 25, 1 50 up to 4 00
An exquisite line corset cover and drawers or corset cover and skirt of cambric or nainsook

Skirts
79c, 95c, 1 19 up to 10 00
Of splendid muslin some have deep lawn flounce with French eyelet embroidery Dust ruffle trimmings of lace or embroidery

Drawers
25c, 39c, 50c, 75c
Of cambric or nainsook Cheaper grade show careful sewing and finishing Many have deep lace or embroidery ruffles

Chemise
50c, 75c, $1 00, $1 25
Short chemise and skirt chemise finished with finer lace embroidery and beading Of fine nainsook or lawn

Corset Covers
25c, 39c 50c, 75c
Lace or embroidery trimmed many have beading in with baby ribbon Some have pearl buttons that fasten under plait down front

Out Size Garments for Large Women. Many "Masonwill" Garments

"Suit-Moving Days" at Hale's are Bargain Days

Oakland offers women on this side of the bay suit bargains as genuine, honest and attractive as is possible through the tremendous strength of a great five-store buying organization. When reductions lure you on every hand, you must compare values in justice to yourself Examine closely the material, the tailoring, the seams, the general beauty of the garments, compare our values with all others at the same prices elsewhere, then choose, and you must choose the "Hale" suits We are glad to offer these 'bargains,' we want to reduce our stock at once

9.75	11.75	15.00	18.75
Values to 15.00	Values to 18.75	Values to 22.50	Values to 27.50

Basement of Hale's GOOD GOODS Oakland Store — Hale's GOOD GOODS — Second Floor Hale's GOOD GOODS Oakland Store

SUFFRAGE LEADER APPROVES OF DIVORCES

Mrs Carrie Catt Says it Keeps Married People True to Vows.

NEW YORK Jan 7—Mrs Carrie Chapman Catt head of the Woman's Party in the battle for equal suffrage thoughts agrees with Judge W F Nye of Cleveland Ohio that what makes divorce frequent in this country is the fact that women now find it easy to be financially independent of their husbands

"There can be no question as to the correctness of this view said Mrs Catt today when asked for her opinion of this statement Forty two years ago according to John Stuart Mill but three women had ever applied for divorce in England that was because the wife's property belonged absolutely to the husband after marriage and if she left him or no matter what cause of ill treatment or infidelity she could take nothing with her She could not take her clothes Naturally under such conditions women endured everything

CAUSES FOR DIVORCE

"Today the great majority of divorces are granted to women and the cause for divorce is infidelity Women have urged their greater financial independence to insist upon a higher standard a family life That is why divorce is an optimistic symptom of our times It marks a wrong done to an individual woman and sets a higher standard of conduct for our husbands and wives for the community It insists upon the husbands fidelity

Mrs Catt is of the opinion that virtue is the essential decency of man and that the type of man that does not advance to this is comparatively few outside possibly a great city

I think she said there are a great many men who observe their marriage vows as faithfully as women I should say that in the small communities of this country more than 9 per cent of the people lead absolutely lawful lives

PREFER NEW WOMAN

Man cares more for the new woman than he ever cared for the old Here and there perhaps there is some one who clings to the old idea of an adorable doll but the ideal is passing

Mrs Catt is of the opinion he dolls themselves are very unhappy and are fast passing

You see she continued their lives are so empty so more useless that there is a generation arising which in embroidery was an art which ever woman of leisure cultivated when evening was done in the home and the mothers and daughters of the rich made their own fine underwear Now little sewing is done by women of leisure—and they have just so much more idleness to enjoy

Two Fire Alarms Are Given Simultaneously

When a large transformer in the Peralta apartments blew out shortly after 7 o'clock last night plunging the establishment in darkness a silent call was sent in to the fire department The firemen had nothing to do but quiet the fears of the tenants No damage was done

A chimney fire at the corner of Seminole and San Pablo avenue at about the same hour failed to develop into anything like a blaze.

ARBITRAL COURT IS MEANS OF PEACE, HE SAYS

Andrew Carnegie Talks at Big Luncheon of New York Republicans

NEW YORK Jan 7—Andrew Carnegie who recently gave $10 000 000 toward a fund to help establish universal peace was a speaker today at the Republican Club The club is holding a series of meetings every Saturday and the subject today was Universal Peace Through an International Court of Arbitral Justice Previous to the speech making there was a luncheon

Carnegie described the new International court of arbitral justic. He said Such a court would bring universal peace to this world within a year or I would give it an option of a second year It is rash for a man to make predictions without setting dates but it is possible in my mind to bring the establishment of this court about in a day What nation would dare to refuse it"

LIKES CRITICISM

"I love a healthy criticism" continued Carnegie and whenever I see my name in the papers I cut it out and lay it away Many have criticised me for my having made money in the manufacture of armor plate Benjamin F Tracy knew why I went into armor It was because of a telegram from him that I did it. I was at that time in Scotland and he wired me as follows

The President says it is your duty to make armor plate for our battleships Irrespective of the profit to be made therefrom the manufacture of this armor is necessary for the national defense Upon this and the word of a friend as the two I rely to do God and your duty to do

TAKE THINGS FAST

Referring generally to the coming arbitration conference he said I want to make prediction that if the Senate of the United States would approve of such a court and would pass upon it favorably within a year you will see such a treaty in operation among the nations of the world and that the object of those who have been working for the International peace will have been accomplished Take this as a general will on earth

Two Camps to Have Joint Installation

HAYWARD Jan 7—The joint public installation of Fraternal Camp No 11 of Woodmen of the World and Camp No 9 of Woodmen Circle will be held Wednesday evening January 11 at Native Sons Hall State Treasurer W W Brobeck of Berkeley will be the first to alight

Grand President to Visit Hayward Parlor

HAYWARD Jan 7—Mrs Mamie Iverson grand president of the Native Daughters of the Golden West will pay her official visit to Hayward Parlor No 9 G W at the next meeting January 11 A big time is planned by the ward and there will be a banquet at the Fraternal hall following the business meeting.

LABORER LOSES FINGERS

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—While employed in the Pacific Box Factory Angelo Tonelli had his right hand badly crushed in a machine this afternoon and the member amputated at the Central Emergency Hospital.

WOULD-BE THIEF WAS EX-FORGER

Tried to Blind Jewelry Clerk and Is Identified as Former Army Captain.

ST PAUL Jan 7—[illegible] was arrested [illegible] in connection with the [illegible] robbery of the Minneapolis Jewelry Company [illegible] Schoeller of the [illegible] Thompson [illegible] and Hall [illegible] Schoeller [illegible] Thompson [illegible] and Hall [illegible] Schoeller [illegible] Thompson [illegible] and Hall [illegible] Schoeller

OAKLAND, CITY OF ENERGY, IS SECOND TO NONE

Delegates to Convention of Counties Committee of State Development Board—All Boosters for City of Oakland. —Photo by Western Panoramic Co., San Jose.

STATE BOOSTERS SHOUT PRAISES OF CITIZENS

Wonderful Development Displayed Here Inspires Many Delegates to Counties Committee

The delegates to the convention of the counties committee of the State Development Board, which has just closed, are most enthusiastic in their estimates of the results achieved by the convention, and declare that the consequences will be of far-reaching benefit to the state. Praises of Oakland's hospitality and commendations of her progress are heard on every side, and all are returning to their homes imbued with the idea that as a city of energy and importance Oakland takes second place to none on the coast.

SHOUT FOR OAKLAND.

"Oakland is the only place in the state—of course, outside of Santa Cruz," said Colin H. McIsaac, secretary of the Santa Cruz Chamber of Commerce. "It was the best meeting I have ever attended and I have seen many. The Chamber of Commerce has done itself proud, and as we were all boosters who attended the convention we will give a shout for Oakland, whenever we see an opportunity, when we get home."

"Oakland is entitled to a great deal of credit for the way in which it has handled the convention," said Francis Hope of San Francisco. "We are more than pleased with Oakland hospitality, and the revelation of what Oakland is doing in the way of development of her waterfront, as told by Mayor Mott at the banquet Friday night, is certain to be of great value to the whole state."

DELEGATES INVIGORATED.

J. A. Fitcher of Sacramento was no less certain of the good which will be accomplished by the convention. "It was the most successful ever held," said he. "When a great number of intelligent and progressive men get together and talk out their problems they cannot help going home invigorated with new ideas which are sure to be of great benefit to the community in which they live."

"The convention brought together the highest degree of ability and public spirit," said Robert Newton Lynch of San Francisco. "The interest shown in the speeches made at the meeting and the strong character of the men who were there speaks volumes for the progress of the work in the near future, and the State Development Board is glad to have been the means of bringing them together on an occasion of so much import."

William Robertson of Fresno said: "It was the meatiest convention I have ever attended, and it is my tenth annual meeting. The speeches were of high order, and in point of results I am sure this years' meeting will not be wanting."

TREATED ROYALLY.

The secretary of the Watsonville Commercial League, C. Gentry Redman, said: "The convention could not have been better. The banquet and the speeches made on that occasion were as good as I have ever known. We have been treated royally, and we go away with a very friendly feeling for Oakland."

"Any convention of this kind is necessarily of vast interest to the state, and I am very well satisfied with the results of this one. It is bound to be of great benefit to the community and the state," said Edwin Stearns of Oakland, former secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

"It will have important results for Oakland," said Secretary A. A. Denison of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce. "It will bring about the closer co-operation of the Chambers of Commerce and the commercial bodies throughout the state and it is a good thing for the people to see the wonderful growth and development of Oakland in the past few years. An important matter was the appointment of the standing committee to undertake the work of forwarding the promotion policies of the various Chambers of Commerce, one of the most important of which is the endorsement of the project to build and bridge across the Carquinez straits."

OAKLAND'S REAL SPIRIT.

H. H. Marcus, secretary and publicity manager of the Marin county Promotion League, said: "It is honestly the best city on the coast next to her sister metropolis across the bay. Los Angeles is the best boosted city on the coast, but her citizens are too clammy. Oakland shows the real Western spirit."

Ed Simpson, the secretary of the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce, said: "I have been delighted with the entertainment afforded us by the Chamber of Commerce of Oakland, and have been highly interested in the perfect addresses which we have heard from the various members of the Oakland chamber and of the members of the chambers from the other counties. The convention has been the best that has ever been held in this state."

"Others have expressed my sentiments when they praised the state convention and the members of the local Chamber of Commerce and I think that nothing remains for me to say, other than to extend my most profound thanks for the good time I received at the hands of your good business men," stated A. Johnson of Turlock."

BEST ADVERTISING.

J. P. Kelley of Sebastopol said: "A convention of this kind at this time, when this state is making such a strong fight for the great exposition, is in the nature of one of the best methods of advertising that I can think of. My predecessors have stated my views to a tee on behalf of the way I feel about the way the members of the local Chamber of Commerce have treated us."

T. F. Burke, a Bakersfield booster, said: "The way that I feel about the growth of this fair city of yours could have been drawn better than expressed as I first stepped off the train at the Sixteenth street depot and took the car for uptown. This is the first time that I have been here in ten years and I can say that I am more than surprised with the rapid growth of the city and the large buildings that have been erected since my last visit here."

Craigie Sharpe of San Francisco, the first secretary of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce nine years ago when it was known as the Oakland Board of Trade, said: "This convention is by far the best that has ever been held on this side of the bay and, yes, on this coast, and you can picture my surprise when I first was shown the number of delegates who had traveled far and wide from the remote corners of the state to attend it. Being the first member of the Chamber of Commerce I can see truthfully the rapid strides Oakland has made in building so rapidly."

EXCELLENT TREATMENT.

Judge C. Talbot of Springville said: "I am the oldest man here. I came over the plains when I was 14 years of age and settled first in the Sonoma valley. I have now been forty years in the San Joaquin valley and I can say as to the growth of nearly every town and city in the state. I have seen cities rise and fall; so many, in fact, that I feel like the 'Rip Van Winkle' which I used to read in my school primer. The growth of this city of Oakland is a marvel and I cannot get over the treatment that has been accorded to us by the members of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

"The banquet which I attended at the Key Route Inn last evening was the best that I have ever had the pleasure of sitting at and all of the addresses were timely and to the point."

The delegates from the south bay counties held a meeting Friday evening, after the banquet, at which a temporary organization was formed for the purpose of effecting the formation of the counties south of the bay into a federation under the name of the Peninsular League of the south bay counties. S. M. Cuthbertson, secretary of the Santa Clara County Promotion Association, was elected temporary secretary, and was directed to send letters to the counties which will be interested in the proposed consolidation, urging them to appoint delegates to hold a meeting for the purpose of forming a permanent organization.

SEEK CO-OPERATION.

The advantages of organization have been so conspicuously shown at the convention that the south bay counties delegates are eager to obtain the same increase of strength and efficiency by means of co-operation. Among the delegates present were: Colin H. McIsaac of Santa Cruz, C. Gentry Redman of Watsonville, S. M. Cuthbertson of Mayfield, Ed Simpson, Pacific Grove; Charles C. Bell, Saratoga; William Sandholt, Monterey, and others.

OAKLAND GREAT CITY.

The following self-explanatory letter has been received:

Editor, THE TRIBUNE, Oakland: As delegate to the fourteenth semi-annual meeting of the California Development Board we beg to thank the people of Oakland, through the medium of your esteemed publication, for the grand reception they have accorded us on this occasion. To say that we are charmed with the hospitality shown us by the people of Oakland, and particularly your chamber of commerce, would be putting it mildly, and we can only say that, representing as we do the various organized commercial organizations of California's counties, we are proud to say that we are in the same State with Oakland.

You have in Oakland everything that goes to make a city second in rank only to the largest centers of culture and commerce in the United States; your city displays unusual building activity and that enterprise and hustle which was ever characteristic of western municipal development.

Very faithfully yours.

William Robertson, Fresno; P. H. Millberry, Lakeport; Thos. Maclay, Petaluma; John L. Camm, Petaluma; T. F. Meagher, Sepastopol; E. Holte, Sebastopol; J. P. Kelly, Sebastopol; W. Turner, Sacramento; F. F. Fly, Sacramento; P. I. Lancaster, Willits; C. E. Humbert, Cloverdale; O. F. Olsen, Oakland; W. E. Gibson, Oakland; Walter S. Mackay, Oakland; Leslie W. Lumsiter, Porterville; H. N. Boyden, San Mateo; Craighie Sharp, Madeira; S. H. Wyckoff, Napa; W. Z. Tiffany, Sausalito; Francis Hope, San Francisco; A. A. Denison, Oakland; J. Redmond Smith, Napa; T. F. Burke, Bakersfield; John G. Stubbs, Oakland; William Coyne, Reddin; Wm. J. Wayland, Dixon; Frederick J. Koster, San Francisco; Wm. J. Dutton, San Francisco; C. M. Burkhalter, Oakland; Alfred J. Hillhouse, Dixon; W. S. Peters, San Leandro; E. E. Treadway, Stockton; Mrs. G. A. Johnson, Ukiah; Mrs. C. H. White, Ukiah; Frank J. Symms, San Francisco; Eben Boal, Palermo, Butte Co.; Thos. V. O'Brien, Hayward; R. O. Bordner, Willows; R. R. Rothenstein, Stockton; A. Johnston Turlock; Geo. C. Pardee, Oakland; A. B. McRae, Roseville; F. A. Leach Jr., L. J. Shuman, Lakeport; E. C. Dozier, Modesto; J. P. Pryor, Pacific Grove; Chas. Schlessinger, Newark; James E. Gordon, San Francisco; Judge C. Talbot, Springville; Albert Oswald, Modesto; H. C. McClure, S. Berkeley; E. S. Miller, Elk Grove; O. H. Miller, Sacramento; F. N. Gard, Oakland; Guy C. Wildmere, Ceres; H. H. Whitmore, Ceres; N. B. Burlingame, Pacific Grove; Mrs. W. S. Greene, Colusa; Ed Simpson, Pacific Grove; Wilber Walker, Oakland; A. Jonas, Oakland; Alex. Mackie, Alameda; Wm. G. Lee, Auburn; A. A. Martin, Sacramento; Wm. R. Wheeler; Albert Armstrong, Mission San Jose; W. D. Pennycook, Vallejo; Frank R. Devlin, Vallejo; John P. Irish, Oakland; B. F. Walton, Yuba City; C. C. Juster, Berkeley; Wells Drury, Berkeley; E. G. Turner, Berkeley; Friend W. Richardson, Berkeley; B. J. Bither, Berkeley; Col. Theo. Gier; J. A. Fitcher, Sacramento; A. I. Esbery, San Francisco; Chas. C. Bell, Saratoga; Ella E. Fischer, Petaluma; C. H. Melsaac, Santa Cruz; C. M. Mow, San Mateo; S. M. Cuthbertson, Mayfield; M. De Motte, Corning; A. B. C. Dohrmann, H. L. Muir, Willets; C. Gintez Redman, Watsonville; Claude Tuxmore, Porterville; W. D. Nichols, Oakland; Carey S. Hill, San Francisco; S. G. Lesher, Napa; John N. Mount, Napa; H. W. Smith, San Francisco; E. W. Maslin, Alameda; S. H. Olmsted, San Rafael; E. S. Hake, San Rafael; Wm. Sandholdt, Monterey Frank L. Brown, Oakland; R. H. Trumbull, Novato; A. C. Wood, Berkeley; H. E. Jones, San Anselmo; H. B. Allen, Palo Alto; H. Bates, Sonoma; Robert Newton Lynch, San Francisco; J. N. Frank, San Leandro; L. Cunningham, Morgan Hill; Wallace C. Browne, Pacific Grove; John Allen Park, Hayward; J. D. Armstrong, Hayward; E. M. Galvin, San Francisco; J. B. Barnard, Niles; J. E. Jacobs, Niles; R. L. Miller, Salida, Standard Oil Co.; A. G. Taft, Oakland; G. W. Shaw, Berkeley; J. P. Overton, Santa Rosa; H. G. Meyer, San Francisco.

Deserter From Army Is Held As Witness

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—A subpoena was served on Private James T. Nesbit, a deserter from the Twenty-ninth company coast artillery corps, who is undergoing treatment at the General hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, this morning. Nesbit will be brought before department six of the superior court Monday morning as the complaining witness against William G. Grant, who is to be tried on a charge of holding up and robbing Nesbit some time ago.

At the time of the robbery Grant was arrested by Policeman Neil Brosnan, who took Nesbit along to the police station as the complaining witness. At police headquarters it was discovered that Nesbit was a deserter from the army and he was turned over to the military authorities.

LIEUTENANT ASSIGNED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Captain James E. Wilson, coast artillery corps, recently promoted from the rank of first lieutenant, has been assigned to the One Hundred and Forty-third company.

Grand Jury Orders County Stables Razed

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The grand jury forwarded to the board of health today a communication calling attention to the generally bad condition of the stables at the county jail and demanding that the board take action looking to their destruction and the erection of a new and adequate building.

It is mentioned that the premises in question have been similarly condemned by other grand juries for a number of years, without any result, and it is urged that something should be done without further delay.

At the health office it was stated that there was no reason to dispute the need of the suggested improvement and that the only difficulty in the way of the carrying it out before now has been that no appropriation has ever been made in the budget to cover the expense.

MANY MINERS KILLED.

HUELVA, Spain, Jan. 7.—The roof of a tunnel in a copper mine in Rio Tinto fell today, burying many of the workers. Five bodies were recovered and five injured men were taken out.

5 DAYS ONLY SHOES 5 DAYS ONLY

$1.75 400 pair of ladies' high grade patent kid shoes, $3.50 and $4.00 value.

25c 385 pair of children's high grade shoes and oxfords, sizes 2½ to 8.

75c Old ladies' comfort plain toe, lace and button, $1.50 to $3 value.

$1.75 Misses' high cut winter tan shoes, $3.50 and $4.00 value.

5c 162 infants' soft soles, colors black and white.

Manufacturer's Ends SHOE SALE

Six Thousand Pair of Men's, Women's and Children's high grade Shoes to be sold at prices that will surprise you.

These shoes are placed upon our bargain tables

Sizes and prices marked plainly on every pair, that will make it convenient for you to make your own selections. Sale lasts five days only.

$1.00 Misses' patent button and lace dress shoes, $2.00 and $3 value.

50c Misses' strap sandals, tan and black, $1.25 to $2.50 value.

$1.00 85 pair of ladies' tan shoes, sizes 3½ to 4½, $3.00 to $4.00 value.

75c 687 pair of misses' and children's shoes and oxfords, tan and black, $1.25 to $2.50 values.

50c 330 pair of ladies' felt juliets, red and black, $1.00 to $2.00 values.

50c 731 pair of children's manufacturers' ends all kinds, styles and sizes.

25c 530 pair of ladies' oxfords and slippers, small sizes and narrow widths.

This sale does not interfere with our regular $2.50 SAMPLE SHOES

OPENS MONDAY, JAN. 9, AT 9 A. M.

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Top Floor First National Bank Building

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$1.25 473 pair of ladies' patent kid, button and lace, $3.50 to $4.00 value.

$1.00 294 pair of manufacturer's ends of ladies' high grade shoes, all kinds and sizes.

$2.50 193 pair of men's high top waterproof boots, $4.00 to $6.00 values.

$1.25 Shoes for the boys, all sizes, $2.00 to $3.50 values.

There are all kinds of Clearance Sales now in progress, but—

Only One Friedman Sale

We never do things by halves—except price cutting.

When the order goes out to clean out stock it means just what it implies. It is our aim never to carry a garment from one season to another.

So "clearance" means not a money raising sale for us, but a money saving sale for you.

JUST A FEW FLYERS

FURS

$11.00 Sets $4.95
$10.00 Pieces $5.00
Others from one-third and one-half off.

TAILORED SUITS

$27.50 Ladies' Suits $18.50
$30.00 Ladies' Suits $15.50
$25.00 Misses' Suits $15.50
$35 Stout Women's Suits... $22.50
$45.00 Ladies' Suits $22.50

ONE-PIECE DRESSES

$20.00 Silk Dresses $7.50
$20.00 to $30.00 Cloth Dresses $10.00
$32.50 Chiffon Dresses $15.00
$50.00 Silk Dresses $25.00

WAISTS

$ 7.50 Waists ... $2.95 $10.00 Waists ... $3.95

LONG COATS

$15.00 Mixtures ..... $ 7.50
$20.00 Rain Coats $10.00
$25.00 Broadcloth Coats $15.00
$20.00 Broadcloth Coats $13.50
$25.00 Covert Coats $12.50
$5.00 Silk Petticoats $2.95

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Many houses advertise credit, but do not extend it to their customers—at least not such credit as we offer. Let's be plain. We invite you to open a charge account and to make full use of it. Buy just what you want and when you want, and pay for it as convenient. All we ask is that you treat us with the same confidence as we accord you.

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New arrival of mannish tailored suits in dark, navy serges and worsteds—regular $32.50—

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OUR ANNUAL SALE

Here is your opportunity to effect a big saving on furniture and home furnishings. By taking advantage of the reductions prevailing during this sale you can secure dependable merchandise at prices far below those of any other store in the bay cities We are listing here just a few items to indicate how we have cut the prices

Big Reductions in Every Department

OUR LIBERAL CREDIT TERMS DURING THIS SALE

Carpets
Best quality Tapestry Brussels Regularly sold for $1.25. Sewed lined and laid,
Now 85c

Rugs
High grade Axminster Rugs Plenty of beautiful patterns Regularly sold for $30 00
Now $20

Linoleum
Heavy quality Printed Linoleum Regularly sold at 75c Laid on your floor
Now 50c

Dressers
A great variety to select from. Regularly sold from $13.50 to $60 00.
Now $7.75 to $35

Enameled Beds
Full line of full sizes Many handsome designs Regularly sold from $4 to $25.00.
Now $3 to $18

Dining Tables
Variety enough to suit every taste Regularly sold for $12 50 to $50
Now $8.50 to $37.50

Dining Chairs
Hundreds of Odd Sets at Cost and Below Cost.

Morris Chairs
A big and most comprehensive line. Every pattern, every finish Regularly sold from $12 to $30.
Now $8 to $22.50

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Odd Pieces and Complete Sets
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Now $5 to $27.50

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Handsome odd pieces in early English and Fumed Oak
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PRINCE TROUBETSKOY COMING TO AMERICA

Will Teach Us Art and Vegetarianism; Holds Views of Tolstoi

(By CHESTER D. OVERTON)

LONDON, Jan 8.—The Marquis de Cholmondeley and his family are in a terrible state of mind their second son, Lord Cholmondele aged 23 seems determined to marry Mrs John Alexander Stirling formerly Miss Clara Taylor of Washington a chorus girl Friends of the family even fear that a marriage has already occurred

Every kind of pressure has been brought to bear upon Lord George as well as on Mrs Stirling whose divorce in March 1909 made such a stir It will be remembered that she brought suit against her husband Captain Stirling an ex-officer of the Scots Guards on the ground of intimacy with the beautiful divorcee Mrs Atherton Captain Stirling brought a counter petition against his wife naming Lord Northland the heir of the Earl of Ranfurly with the result that Mrs Stirling lost her case while Captain Stirling was granted a divorce

Soon afterward Mrs Stirling returned to the stage and appeared at the Gaiety in the chorus

FAVORITE SON

Lord George is the favorite son of Marquis Cholmondeley who is one of the hereditary lord great chamberlains of England His heir the Earl of Rocksavage played polo in America last year

The will of the late Sir Clifton Robinson the giant canal king who by a strange fate died in Switzerland in New York is expected to be made public at any moment His friends declare that he left his entire fortune to his widow and nothing whatever to his young son Clifton who has been going the pace alarmingly

Lady Robinson is not young Clifton's mother The boy is merely an adopted son who was worshipped by his father This fact of adoption was not generally known and the news has caused a surprise Sir Clifton paid the boy's debts over and over again but now the London tradesmen who gave Clifton unlimited credit are clamoring for payment Once of the most trivial bills is for £10 to a hairdresser but his other debts are on a huge scale

NOT DISTINGUISHED

The youth has nothing to distinguish himself except a more than usual series of entanglements with chorus girls His only claim to fame was made about a year ago when he was speeding through Kensington his motor car killed two hop pickers He was charged with manslaughter but managed to escape the first He spent a few hectic days in New York where he became known as a lively boy-about-night

Mrs Oscar Lewisohn (Edna May) is just now busily rehearsing her old part in The Belle of New York which she will play for a week at the Savoy Theater for the Prince Patrick of Teck charity fund which has been established as a memorial to Queen Mary's late brother

Mrs John W Mackay whose various bereavements have kept her away from London for a long time has just made her plans for the future and the American colony is glad to hear that this fairy hostess will be back in her wonderful house in Carlton House Terrace next May to take part in the coronation season

LIVING IN PARIS

At present Mrs Mackay is living in Paris and later will go to Cannes on the Riviera where she will be joined by her daughter the Princesse Colonna di Stigliano She will afterward visit Paris and Algiers Mrs Mackay will go to America in April purely on business matters

Lady Cheylesmore who was Miss French will figure prominently in society next season She has just purchased a beautiful country house known as Coppers Hill near Windsor It was built by a financier who called himself Baron Grant Lady Cheylesmore is now touring in her Milan on the Riviera and later expects a visit from her sister Mrs Reginald Vanderbilt

Shipping Affected by Many Changes

VICTORIA B C Jan 7.—Important changes which will seriously affect shipping in the Alaska trade are being made by the London underwriters according to advices received today by local agents A warranty is being added providing that all vessels entering the Behring Sea or Alaskan

$75,000 IN STOCK TAKEN BY THIEVES

Negotiable Certificates Shipped From Alaska Bound for Seattle.

SEATTLE Jan 7.—Express thieves between Seattle and Alaska have gotten away with $75 000 worth of negotiable stock certificates of the Ohio Mining company in a package of valuable ore specimens and bullion contributions and several thousand parcels of considerable value shipped to Seattle by the Alaska Pacific Company from Cordova

Although the officials of the company are reticent in regard to the matter they are keeping the wires hot between Seattle and Cordova and other places along the coast in an effort to locate the missing plunder

The valuable parcel of stock certificates which are negotiable anywhere and particularly in some of the coast towns Alaska where the mining is best accepted as currency was shipped from Cordova on the last steamer of December 27 last Herbert Johnson of Chicago is at the Seattle hotel

Johnson had sold $ 000 worth of stock to a small party of Seattle capitalists and Alaska mining men at a big profit and that the money should be used to install a quartz mill and develop the property

The non-arrival of the stocks on the steamship Alameda caused the discovery that the express truck had been rifled at some point enroute

DIVORCED MAN WEDS AGAIN

HUNTINGTON Jan 7.—Ulysses Grant Wells German almost immediately after obtaining a final decree from Alice Guidor has married Miss May McMillan of Burlingame They were quietly wed

WANT ACTION TO PREVENT ANARCHY

Londoners Anxious to Have International Campaign Against Pests

LONDON Jan 8.—International action to stamp out anarchy will be speedily started here a development of the near future For the average Londoner in this excited city Tuesday's sensational fight in Sidney street the suggestion is welcome Here was a crisis something more than ordinary police measures and the conventional criminal codes of modern states

Expression is given today to the spreading sentiment by a force of bi-dissensionate, writer who asks not whether all sensible men will not agree with him in thinking that altogether too little attention is paid to the great powers of Europe America and Asia to the need for the feasibility of concerted action to stamp out enemies of order

ACTION IS NEEDED

If the powers cannot arrange for concerted action he argues they must bring about simultaneous individual action to effect the most desirable results London Peter the Painless and Tom Robbins and Barcelona bomb hurlers and Rome Mafia men and New York and Chicago Black Hand pests

German opinion is almost as emphatic A Berlin publicist wonders why even it be too early to talk of national disarmament it is now high time to form some practical scheme to disarm forever the governments of nations governing arms and civilized society

It is somewhere hoped will say this that the duty of leadership in a campaign for international action against anarchy rests with France and the United States, because of their republican character the point is made that the mere existence of The Hague tribunal paves the way for indefinite multiplication of mutual defense measures

TRAIL BLAZERS CROSS COUNTRY

Find Automobile Road From Atlantic to Pacific Through Southern States

LOS ANGELES Jan 8.—G W Finney I L Ferguson Fred D Clark and Charles B Shaffer members of the Ohio Good Road party from New York under the auspices of the American Auto Association to blaze a trail for automobile touring from New York through the Southern States to California arrived in this city late this afternoon The party arrived in Redlands last night and spent the night at Casa Loma Today after a trip through Riverside they continued to Los Angeles planning to remain several days here and later complete their trip

The men left New York in their Ohio machine November 20 and made the trip leisurely They went from New York direct to Atlanta thence to Birmingham then through Tennessee Arkansas and Texas thence to Deming N M Tucson and Phoenix Ariz the run to Redlands being direct from the Arizona capital

TEAMSTER IS INJURED

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7.— Frank Gallo a teamster 1540 Seventeenth street was driving a sand wagon at Sutter street and Van Ness avenue today when a car hit it He was internally injured

$3.50 Recipe Cures Weak Men---Free

Send Name and Address Today—You Can Have it Free and Be Strong and Vigorous

I have in my possession a free prescription for nervous debility lack of vigor weakened manhood failing memory and lame back brought on by excesses unnatural drains or the follies of youth that has cured so many worn and nervous men right in their own homes—without additional help or medicine—that I think every man who wishes to regain his manly power and virility quickly and quietly should have a copy So I have determined to send a copy of the prescription free of charge in a plain ordinary sealed envelope to any man who will write me for it.

This prescription comes from a physician who has made a special study of men and I am confident it is the surest acting combination for the cure of deficient manhood and failure ever put together

I think I owe it to my fellow man to send them a copy in confidence so that any man anywhere who is weak and discouraged with repeated failures may stop drugging himself with harmful patent medicines secure the quickest acting restorative upbuilding SPOT TOUCHING remedy ever devised and so cure himself at home quietly and quickly Just drop me a line like this Dr A F Robinson 4075 Luckbuilding Detroit Mich and I will send you a copy of this splendid recipe in a plain ordinary envelope free of charge A great many doctors would charge $5 00 to $5 00 for merely writing out a prescription like this—but I send it entirely free

TAFT & PENNOYER

34th Annual Discount Sale

Continues Throughout the Month of January

Thirty-eight Departments Offer Merchandise at From 10 to 50 Per Cent Discount

1911 at Taft & Pennoyer's will be a year of style leadership To maintain the highest standard of style in women's apparel—that is our New Years resolution

We solicit the continued patronage of our old friends and the acquaintance of new and extend to all our best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year

Special reductions in Ladies' Suits, Coats, Skirts, Dresses, Evening and Party Gowns Capes and Wraps--Every garment reduced—Many one-half—Price reductions in each branch

½ Price Suits ½ Price Coats ½ Price Dresses and Skirts

Cotton Dresses for Children, Misses and Ladies selling at cost and below

A Reliable Silk PETTICOAT Attractively Priced at **$4.75**

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The merit of these special PETTICOATS is summed up in

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This Petticoat assortment contains five styles in colors and five styles in black and black extra size Lengths assorted 38 to 44 inches Colors include reseda green old tan, grey rose gold white brown amethyst jasper and many changeable colors

The VALUE of our PETTICOAT is emphasized by a written guarantee that pleases the wearer with the ultimate satisfactory result for three months wear

Special Reductions in the Children's Department

COATS at 50% REDUCTION

FIFTY CHILDRENS COATS for ages 1 to 6 years in a good assortment of styles and colors Also 50 NOVELTY COATS included in this special sale 50 HEADWEAR AT 50 PER CENT REDUCTION Many attractive HATS and BONNETS included in this special reduction including SILK FELT BEAVER and FUR BONNETS and HATS and a line of JUVENILE HEADWEAR

TRIMMED BABY BASKETS at 25% Reduction

FIFTY NOVELTY TRIMMED BABY BASKETS in all the new shapes and styles included in this special reduction All prices represented

Big Reductions in HIGH-CLASS DRESS GOODS

AT 50c A YARD—Bright grenite weaves in kinds for children's dresses in navy and Suitings in blues greens and browns reduced from 50c and 75c a yard

AT $1 00 A YARD—54 inch Imported Fine Stripe Serge Suitings in dark and medium colors reduced from $1 75 a yard

AT $1 00 A YARD—44 inch French Novelty Suitings in iridescent colors of browns blues and greens reduced from $1 00 a yard

AT $1 00 A YARD—47 inch gray Serge Suitings with colored hair lines of white green, purple and blue reduced from $1 50 a yard

AT $1 00 A YARD—46 inch stripe Fabric Suitings in green reseda and tan mixtures reduced from $1 00 a yard

AT $1 25 A YARD—46 inch fancy mixed Suitings reduced from $1 50 a yard

AT $1 50 A YARD—54 inch Imported Cheviot Serge Suitings new colorings reduced from $2 00 a yard

AT $1 50 A YARD—50 inch new Bouclé Suitings in red purple and blue with black tinsel reduced from $2 25

AT $1 75 A YARD—54 inch Stripe Poiret Suitings, reduced from $2 75 a yard

AT $7 50 AND $12 50 A YARD—50 inch Velours for coats, reduced from $10 00 and $20 00 a yard

CORY KILVERT POST CARDS

Every child should send us his or her name and address The CORY KILVERT POST CARDS for January are just out You will receive one monthly for this small amount Truly DO IT NOW

THE TEA ROOM

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GERMAN COFFEE HOUSE
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Save Money Avoid Pain
Teeth Extracted Without Pain
Acknowledged to be the easiest and best painless extractors in Oakland
Until Jan 31 we have decided to make our best sets of teeth for $3.

SET OF TEETH $3 00
22K GOLD CROWNS $2 00
GOLD FILLINGS $1 00
SILVER FILLINGS $ 50
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No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered A written guarantee for 20 years with all work

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1156½ WASHINGTON ST
HOURS—Week days, 8 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 4.

A Whirlwind of White goods

Women's Lawn Handkerchiefs

In large and small crossbar effects. Worth 60c a dozen. Sale price

35c PER DOZEN 35c

The Great White Sale Starts On Its Second Week Tomorrow With Increased Vigor and Many New Bargains

There are two kinds of sales. One kind is planned for—prepared for—bought for—real in its offerings. The other is composed chiefly of signs and advertising. This sale is a glorious success because its bargains are both big and genuine—and because our customers have confidence in our statements regarding them.

SEE THE BIG WHITE DISPLAYS IN OUR SHOW WINDOWS

Kahn Bros
THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE

All Wool Blankets

Small But Choice Lots Reduced For a Swift Clearance.

These soft and beautiful blankets are strictly all wool, and have very handsome borders. Many of them are extra large in size. Come and see them—the savings are altogether too large to be missed.

37 pairs of regular $6.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$5.00**
17 pairs of regular $7.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$5.75**
21 pairs of regular $7.50 Blankets, now, per pair **$6.00**
9 pairs of regular $8.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$6.50**
6 pairs of regular $9.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$7.00**
6 pairs of regular $10.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$8.00**
4 pairs of regular $12.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$8.50**
3 pairs of regular $14.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$11.25**
3 pairs of regular $20.00 Blankets, now, per pair **$15.00**

WE ARE ALSO OFFERING REMARKABLE SPECIALS IN LESS EXPENSIVE BLANKETS—ALSO IN BED SPREADS AND CURTAINS

A Carload of Towels Will Be Added to the White Sale Tomorrow

These are a few of the bargains. There are many others—and they're all equally good values.

HUCK TOWELS—Size 18x36 inches. The kind that usually sells at 12½c each. Sale price **8c**

INDIVIDUAL GUEST TOWELS—Made of union linen. Good quality and extra value at the sale price of **8c**

ALL LINEN HUCK TOWELS—Hemstitched, heavy and serviceable. A regular 35c quality. Sale price—each **23c**

Regular 12½c TURKISH TOWELS **9c**
Regular 15c TURKISH TOWELS **12c**
Regular 20c TURKISH TOWELS **14c**
Regular 25c TURKISH TOWELS **17c**
Regular 40c TURKISH TOWELS **23c**

Sheets and Cases At Prices That Say Buy Now—Buy Liberally

As values these new sheets and cases are every bit as extraordinary as the ones that created such a sensation last week. Prices quoted below are lower than many stores have to pay at wholesale.

Extra Quality Sheets

Made from water-shrunk and hand-torn sheetings. Size 81x90 inches. A new lot of 100 dozen that arrived last week.

Sale Price **68c**

Linen Finish Sheets

Made with the new seams. Size 76x90 inches. Good quality. Evenly hemmed. A very remarkable value for the money.

Sale Price **49c**

Hemstitched Cases

Made from fine quality muslin. Size 45x36 inches. Neatly hemstitched. A special lot picked up by our buyer at a bargain.

Sale Price **15c**

New Lots of Lovely Embroideries At the Same Marvelous Prices

White Baby Flouncings
Up to $1.00 Values

Some tucked with lace and insertion. Some hemstitched. Strong, handsome patterns on fine swisses and nainsooks. 27 ins. wide. About ½ price. **48c**

27-inch White Flouncings
Worth From 75c, Up

Beautiful designs on good quality nainsook. Not a yard in the lot worth less than 75c—some are worth much more. Your choice 48c. **48c**

22-inch White All-Overs
Up to $2.00 Values

Swiss, nainsook and cambric grounds — well covered with new and very pretty designs. Biggest values you ever saw. Less than half price. **78c**

Wide White Embroideries
Values From $1.50 Up

These are those entirely new Batiste embroideries with Irish Point edges. Very beautiful—and sensationally cheap. 18 and 27 inches wide. **78c**

Pretty Cluny Laces—Edgings and Insertions—1½ to 4 In. wide—Sale Price 10c Yard

WHITE JAP SILKS

The 25c Quality for .. 19c a yard
The 50c Quality for .... 39c a yard
The 75c Quality for .... 59c a yard
The $1.25 Quality for ... 89c a yard

The 19c Silks are 20 inches wide. The others are 27 inches.

$1.25 White Marquisette for 89c

A satin stripe silk for evening wear. Full of shimmer and beauty. 40 inches wide. One of the most remarkable silk values we ever offered. You never saw a bigger one.

Women's Pretty Gowns

In marguerite, pompadour and circular effects. Made of fine nainsooks and trimmed with eyelet embroideries, wide ribbon beadings and dainty laces. Generously full sizes. Six different styles. Values to $1.85 each. Your choice **98c**

Nainsook Corset Covers—Made of fine nainsooks and trimmed with medallion embroideries and laces. Your choice of several handsome styles. Values to 75c. Sale price **48c**

Two Astonishing Values In Boxed Lingerie Nainsooks

Extra Quality Lingerie Nainsook—Regular Price $2.00 Per Box of 10 Yards—Sale Price $1.39
Superfine Quality Lingerie Nainsook—Regular Price $2.25 Per Box of 10 Yards—Sale Price $1.49

These Are a Few of the Many Other Wonderful Bargains In White Goods

12½c Crossbar Batistes for ..... 9c yd.
20c Corded Lawns for ..... 12c yd.
20c Fine White Dimities for ..... 11c yd.
25c Rainbow Swisses for ..... 19c yd.
25c Corded Crossbar Lawns for ..... 16c yd.

All Fur Coats and All Fur Lined Coats ½ Price

This is the End of the Season Clearance—the time when we are willing to sacrifice all profit and take sharp losses to effect a complete clean-sweep of all winter garments. Every price quoted below points to a bargain of the rarest kind:

Best $67.50 Real Russian PONY COATS **$33.75**
Best $80.00 Real Russian PONY COATS **$40.00**
Best $87.50 Real Russian PONY COATS **$43.75**
Best $90.00 Real Hudson SEAL COATS **$45.00**
Best $118.50 Real Hudson SEAL COATS **$59.25**
Best $42.50 Fur Lined CLOTH COATS **$21.25**
Best $45.00 Fur Lined CLOTH COATS **$22.50**
Best $60.00 Fur Lined CLOTH COATS **$30.00**

A RUCHING SALE

A Bargain Way Out Of the Ordinary

Assorted patterns—and every pattern a beauty. White, cream, pink and blue. The kind you are accustomed to pay 25c and 35c a yard for. But we secured this special lot at an astonishingly big discount, and will place it on sale tomorrow at 15c a yard—just about half price. If you don't want a full yard, you can buy a neck length for **5c**

Lingerie Waists

At Tiny New Prices—No Profit Expected.

These charming waists come in an almost unending variety of styles—and every style is a new one for 1911.

$1.50 WAISTS FOR 85c
$3.25 WAISTS FOR $1.95
$3.75 WAISTS FOR $2.95
$4.50 WAISTS FOR $3.45
$5.50 WAISTS FOR $3.95
$6.50 WAISTS FOR $4.45
$7.50 WAISTS FOR $5.45
$9.75 WAISTS FOR $6.95

SILK PETTICOATS

A Pretty Close to Half Price Big Bargain

Persian Messaline Petticoats, with deep flounce. Brand new—just bought from the maker at a great sacrifice. Actual value $5.00 each. Sale price **$2.95**

HANDSOME TAILORED SUITS

Up to $30.00 Values For $13.45

We cannot emphasize the importance of this sale too strongly. Better bargains were never offered. The suits were all made this season, and the styles are strictly correct. Materials are sturdy-wearing all-wool stuffs and there is a fine assortment of colors to choose from. The tailor work is all that the most critical woman could ask for. Twenty dollars would be a very low price for the least expensive suit in the lot. Most of the suits are legitimate $25.00, $27.50 and $30.00 values. Your choice $13.45.

Up to $30.00 Values For $13.45

Take Elevator to Suit Department—Third Floor.

ALL FURS—HALF PRICE—ALL FURS

This means that you can buy any Neck Fur, Muff or Set in our stock at just half the marked price—not a single piece is reserved. Special attention is invited to these three lots of rich real mink stoles:

$90.00 Mink Stoles $45—$115 Mink Stoles $62.50—$125 Mink Stoles $62.50

WOMEN'S SHOES All $1.35

SOME WORTH $3.00
SOME WORTH $3.50
SOME WORTH $4.00

The reason? Simply because they are odd lots and mostly in small sizes. But the quality is in them, and if we can fit you it will be to the most wonderful shoe bargain you ever saw. Some are made from shiny patent kid—some from plain kid—some from gun-metal calf, that dull, handsome leather that is so hard to wear out. Remember, not a pair is worth less than $3.00—many are worth $4.50 — quite a sprinkling are splendid $4.00 shoes. Your choice **$1.35**

Fancy Cretonne Novelties

Such as Work Boxes, Waste Baskets, Shirt Waist Boxes, Glove Boxes Work Bags, etc., etc.

AT JUST ONE-HALF PRICE

$6.00 PIECES FOR $3.00
$5.00 PIECES FOR $2.50
$3.00 PIECES FOR $1.50
$2.00 PIECES FOR $1.00
$1.25 PIECES FOR 63c
75c PIECES FOR 38c

Kahn Bros

THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE
TWELFTH AND WASHINGTON STS., OAKLAND

OUR SKIRT AND WAIST Factory

Will make up any goods bought during this sale at surprisingly reasonable prices. Mr. Otto West—famous all over the Coast as the "skirt and waist wizard"—is the manager of our factory, and will give all work his personal attention. See the pretty waists we make to order for **98c**

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PEARY PROVES DISCOVERY OF THE NORTH POLE

TELLS FRANK STORY TO HOUSE COMMITTEE

BACKS CLAIMS WITH FACTS AND DATA

Convincingly Describes Marches to Fame in Fight for Congressional Reward

Rank of Rear-Admiral in Navy Seems Within Explorer's Grasp

WASHINGTON Jan —Almost all of his friends declare as a result of his testimony before the committee on naval affairs that he will be retired with the rank of rear admiral. Peary appeared before the subcommittee having charge of the bills introduced by Representative Hobson of Alabama and Representative Macon of Arkansas providing that Peary be retired with the rank of rear admiral. The committee ought to be.

In spite of this the feeling of committee generally is that the bills will pass. Peary and the opinion was expressed by many members of the committee that he would be kept in the navy for a long time. The committee decided by a unanimous vote to favorably report the measure.

IT COUNTS POLAR TRIP

In the hearing today before the committee on naval affairs Peary submitted a statement showing that he had traveled 1400 miles from the time he left Cape Columbia with four men and sixteen dogs with forty dogs started on the last lap of the journey.

All of each of the five men lost a toe with the exception of Peary. He lost all of the toes on the first two toes on the right foot and the second two toes on the third, twenty five on the left and thirty on the last.

At this point said he I had got nearer enough to the pole so I could reckon from that point. I estimated I was then within from the pole. I reached the uttermost point I should attempt so that I could return with the next five days' observations. I made observations which showed I was 107 0 that I was farther north than made before.

The dogs were fed on pemmican. I drove at the rate of about 10 miles an hour. We had been sustained by Arctic food and could have got there and back.

TELLS ABOUT RETURN TRIP

Peary then told of his marches and directions. He first returned to the pole on April 1909. He described the return trip, which he said at 4 o'clock the afternoon of April 6. On the way back he said he stopped about five miles from the pole and made soundings. At this point he could not reach bottom on 1700 fathoms. He could not reach bottom on 1700 fathoms. He could not reach bottom on 1700 fathoms. He could not reach bottom on 1700 fathoms.

He explained that the first two out of the five men were sent back on account of their inability to stand the rigors of the journey. The other three were sent back on account of their inability to stand the rigors of the journey.

Captain Peary presented to the committee original records of the expedition. The committee will examine them carefully.

SHOWS ORIGINAL NOTE

Any objection to allowing the committee to see original notes of Peary while in the vicinity of the pole was removed by Representative Howard.

I have not read the notes of Peary who this submitted to the committee. I have not read the notes of Peary who this submitted to the committee.

Captain Peary also submitted the original logbook and journal.

Was it absolutely necessary for him to be at the north pole to make his observations, which he made?

That is a question which I cannot answer. I have not read the notes of Peary who this submitted to the committee. I have not read the notes of Peary who this submitted to the committee.

When the committee visited Mr. Peary's office he said:

That is a thing I could not answer. Peary has been a difference of opinion. Experts will say observations are arranged, and others are not.

Whether a man could manufacture records of observations was a question which the experts could not answer. He thought this could be done.

Both Refsdal and Gannett were before the committee made statements as to dogs and sledges that did not agree numerically with Peary's own statements. It appeared however that Gannett was speaking in terms of the dogs that were used on the last dash to the pole.

After Captain Peary had submitted the records he was excused from the witness chair. He then left the committee room.

CAPT. ROBERT E. PEARY

CORSET CHANGE ALTERED HER SHAPE

Woman's Dress Would Not Fit With New Architecture

CHICAGO Jan The old question of the effect of corsets on the figure has been revived by the announcement that the corset must be discarded because it will not fit the new architecture. The corset is like a straitjacket. It compresses the waist and makes the figure look like an hourglass. The new architecture demands a straight line from the shoulders to the hips. The corset makes this impossible. The new dress will be made without corsets.

The dress reform movement has been started by Miss Margaret [illegible] of New York. She has been a leader in the movement for many years. She has been a leader in the movement for many years. She has been a leader in the movement for many years.

The dress will be made of [illegible] and will be [illegible] inches wide. The skirt will be [illegible] inches long. The sleeves will be [illegible] inches long. The neck will be [illegible] inches deep.

Miss [illegible] said that the dress will be [illegible] and will be [illegible] and will be [illegible].

Schenk Addicted to Use of Arsenic, to Be Wife's Plea

WHEELING W Va Jan It is said that Schenk was addicted to the use of arsenic and that he himself administered it to his wife in small doses. This statement is made by [illegible] who has been employed by the defense in the case. It is said that he will testify that he has seen Schenk administer arsenic to his wife. The defense will also call [illegible] who will testify that he has seen Schenk administer arsenic to his wife.

Lost in Brush With Elusive Fortune and Called in Check

NEW YORK Jan —It is said that [illegible] has been brought to the attention of the [illegible] by the discovery of a check for [illegible] dollars in the [illegible] of the late [illegible] who died [illegible] years ago. The check was found in the [illegible] of the late [illegible] who died [illegible] years ago. The check was found in the [illegible] of the late [illegible] who died [illegible] years ago.

LITTLE GIRLS ARE PREY OF SEE

Leader of "Absolute Life" Cult Confesses to Lust of Free Love.

Religious Theories Were Excuses to Gain Control Over Chicago Maidens

CHICAGO Jan 7.—Dexter Arthur See's method of inducting little girls to join his "absolute life" cult were explained today when Mrs. Sarah Jacques a wealthy widow whose name was brought into the case following the discovery that it was she who caused See to leave his wife five years ago. Mrs. Jacques' revelations were followed by Miss Stella Marguerite [illegible] North Clark street another new figure in the case who charged that See had attempted to induce her to [illegible] Mrs. Jacques gave liberally to the support of See and

PREYED UPON MERE GIRLS

Mrs. Jacques said that when she discovered See's religious theories were an excuse to gain control over girls she refused him further financial assistance. She charged that he had with [illegible] years ago Mildred Burch, to become a member of his household. The girl was barely [illegible] when he began [illegible]. Mrs. Jacques [illegible] her home [illegible] last June.

The most [illegible] were the most startling made by Mrs. Jacques in the [illegible] of the police. Pending the [illegible] of the serious charges against See, who is held up in the county jail, Miss Rose will be with the Bridges girl [illegible] being [illegible] shorn until [illegible] still [illegible] with [illegible] of the cult [illegible].

SEE MAKES CONFESSION

[illegible] developments in the case of the [illegible] Commonwealth's [illegible] were [illegible] confession. [illegible] serious offenses against Mrs. Bridges and Miss Jacques, it is said, is that the latter [illegible] with [illegible] and [illegible] with forty dollars.

[illegible] was contracted until [illegible] found [illegible] preventing [illegible] from [illegible] which [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible].

PROPHET AFRAID LOVER

When [illegible] him [illegible] was impressed with [illegible] said Mrs. Jacques. He told me he needed money to [illegible] theories which [illegible] [illegible] which was highly [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] needed. He [illegible] could not carry on his [illegible] as a prophet and [illegible] his family. So he left his wife [illegible] suppose I am to blame [illegible] with money to further his views.

Mrs. Jacques said that when she [illegible] See free love in this [illegible] contributions [illegible] to make to discuss [illegible].

[illegible] about pointing to which [illegible] bulges that [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] until he was evidently [illegible] an inspiration and said [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] corset than when [illegible] fitted [illegible].

[illegible] left room for [illegible] and [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] had [illegible] some [illegible] suggestions that [illegible] was settled by [illegible] Truman [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to the tailor [illegible].

MARY GARDEN TURNS CRAZED MAN TO STONE

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LINA CAVALIERI IN MYSTERIOUS SECLUSION

GREAT SINGER THREATENED BY CRANK

Calmly Faces the Lunatic Who Stops Her Sale of Charity Tickets

"Give Us a Salome," Shouted Crowd After Thrilling Scene

CHICAGO Jan 7.—Mary Garden faced a crank on the floor of the Board of Trade today. Though aware that her life might be in danger Miss Garden made no more apprehension than she did in facing the crazy King Herod with [illegible] in the role of Salome.

Just as the sale of seats for the benefit performance [illegible] was on hand [illegible] of the firm [illegible] with [illegible] of the stockyards [illegible] in the presence of [illegible] Miss Garden as the [illegible] approached.

Bending up close to where Miss Garden stood on the [illegible] all eyes were turned [illegible] one observed the [illegible] of the crank.

DEMANDS SALE HALT

Then and there the [illegible] fell down his whole [illegible] and this side can of pro[illegible] without permission.

Then he turned and glared up at Miss Garden who stood on the table calmly looking down upon him.

Albert Smith an employe of the board was the first to rush [illegible] and [illegible] him from the building.

Meanwhile the sales [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

OH YOU SALOME

"Oh you Salome," shouted [illegible] from the crowd. [illegible] more than 2000 people.

"Oh you Salome," Miss Stewart another.

There were fourteen boxes in all sold for the benefit performance [illegible] $940 being made. Mrs. Gardner declared [illegible] the hard studying performance [illegible].

NEW YORK POLICE RAID ITALIAN RENDEZVOUS

Object was Capture of Kidnapers of Brooklyn Boys, Which Failed

NEW YORK Jan —One of the biggest raids by the New York police in a long time was made this afternoon under the direction of Deputy Commissioner [illegible] with the best detectives in the Italian district at his command descended upon [illegible] and arrested three [illegible] of Italians in the [illegible] of Giuseppe Stocco, Vito Rizzo and Gaetano Longo the latter recently returned [illegible] parents.

The prisoners [illegible] up at police [illegible] and submitted to the inspection of the [illegible] napped [illegible] identify any of [illegible] and after [illegible] Lynch was [illegible].

Commissioner [illegible] makes clear that [illegible] is suspected [illegible] mailers and counterfeiters [illegible] determined to get the kidnapers especially since [illegible] parents of [illegible] $500 for his release.

Canal Amendment Passes Committee

WASHINGTON Jan The Sims committee on [illegible] today ordered the favorable report [illegible] Hint of California [illegible] to the Panama canal [illegible] wise toll [illegible] without paying tolls. It is [illegible] attempt to [illegible] the [illegible] be taken by the government in the event of war the price [illegible] queen is determined [illegible].

Former Strong Man Now Seeks Divorce

CHICAGO Jan —Charles A. Comer well known as [illegible] man appeared in Judge [illegible] court today and the [illegible] of the suit [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Comer [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] would [illegible] Comer [illegible] which came in [illegible] news and the court [illegible] der advisement.

MARY GARDEN, the prima donna, whose life was threatened by a crank

LINA CAVALIERI, who has gone into mysterious seclusion

WILL DUKE WOO MISS ELKINS AGAIN?

Friends Say if He Does His Family Must Accept Her

WASHINGTON [illegible] — With the [illegible] of Miss Elkins [illegible] it is [illegible] that [illegible] will [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

GOOD DEED REWARDED

Mrs. H. N. Cunning Adopts a Boy and Thereby Wins a Home.

MR. AND MRS. H N. CUNNING.

There is an old saying that one good deed deserves another and it certainly came true with Mrs. H. N. Cunning, of 755 42rd street, Oakland.

While visiting the California Foundling Society's Home with a neighbor last July she was particularly attracted to a young boy whom Mr Dennison had just brought from Nevada.

After a few minutes' talk with the manly little fellow her mother instinct went out to him and a mutual attachment sprung up between them on the spot

To think was to act and when Mrs. Cunning left for home she took the boy with her to adopt him as her own. Not having the required furnishings for the new member of her family she called the next day at Oakland's big furniture store, accompanied by the boy, and purchased him several articles, including a bed.

When passing out of the store they were handed a slip of paper telling about a Bungalow and were told to put the coupon part in a box near the door. They went home and the incident passed from their memory owing to the affectionate attachment that had sprung up between new-mother and new-son.

On New Year's eve a large crowd of old customers gathered at the furniture store to see who would receive the valuable home which they were to give away at 9 o'clock. When the number was drawn no one answered and the number was advertised in the papers. Four days passed and it looked as though the holder of the duplicate number would never come to claim their valuable present.

Mrs. Cunning had entirely forgotten the two coupons she had put away until a neighbor, Mrs Stiles, asked her if she had looked at her numbers. After diligent search they were brought to the light one of them was "0,502, the number that entitled the bearer to the 5-room Bungalow.

In speaking of the matter, Mrs. Cunning said: "I couldn't believe my eyes, and was doubtful of it being true until I rather at the store and found the deed already for me and my husband to sign."

She says it is an act of Providence that gives her the home—a home for her—it gives her the home—a home for her out of motherly love, in return for the one she gave a homeless orphan boy—for this deed she has received a deed to $1000 Bungalow in Alton Park, which proves that one good deed deserves another.

ATLANTIC FLEET FAILS IN ATTACK

The Defending Fleet Locates the Ships as They Sneak On Coast.

BOSTON, Jan. 7 — The naval demonstration against the Atlantic coast by the returning naval Atlantic squadron under command of Rear Admiral Seaton Schroeder has been defeated by the defending fleet commanded by Rear Admiral F. A. Stanton, in the opinion of naval authorities, who learned today that the "enemy" had been discovered and located off the coast.

Wireless telegraphy was eliminated during the game and it was necessary to locate the "enemy" under the old conditions

It is understood that the attacking fleet continued on its way to the West Indies affair being discovered.

Narrowly Avert Run On Fairbanks Bank

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Jan. 7—The First National and the American banks were prepared yesterday for a run as a result of the suspension of the Washington-Alaska bank, but the course of business ran smoothly, a display of the gold resources on hand reassuring depositors

Depositors of the closed bank at a mass meeting passed a resolution asking the federal court to appoint E. H. Mack, formerly clerk of that court, as co-receiver with E. W. Hawkins, formerly acting manager of the bank

The United States court today ordered the receiver to refund Tuesday's deposits, $27,000.

THE FIGURE

How Too Much Fat May Be Safely Reduced at Home.

"Oh, if I only had my social flesh would melt!" cry the ladies nowadays as they try to squirm into a princess frock. How much could the fat generous proportioned home not give up for four inches less in the waist? As she gazes dejectedly into the fortune one hundred and twenty five pound sister Various devices are suggested to arrest the flesh producing tendency and keep the figure trim, including exercising walking and dieting as well as numerous patented remedies but there are objections to all of these. Exercising is hard work and takes up precious time, dieting is distasteful and a real punishment and some of the patent remedies are dangerous to health.

The very best thing for the complexion whether man or female, is a simple home remedy of Marmola, by or Dried Extract Cascara Aromatic. Buy at Report for Water which can be obtained of any druggist for a small sum. This should be taken a teaspoonful at a time after meals and bedtime. Good results will be both speedy and certain. This is a formula in existence that cannot fail on any stomach trouble nor cause the dreaded wrinkled appearance of those who started to take patent reducers to get thin. On the contrary, although it often takes the fat off at the rate of a pound a day, it is really very beneficial to the system, cleansing the blood and causing the complexion to become fair and beautiful. The cost of the three ingredients is quite favorable, and one may if they prefer get them separately and mix them together at home.

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Single room with board for one person	$ 40
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Suites, two rooms and bath, with board, two persons	90
Suites, two rooms and bath with board, 3 persons	115

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WOODMEN INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Joint Ceremony Is Participated in by Greater Oakland and Fraternity Camps.

One of the fraternal events of the week was the joint installation of the officers of Greater Oakland and Fraternity camps, Modern Woodmen of the World and the Royal Neighbors, which was held in Porter hall, Nineteenth and Grove streets.

Representative members of these organizations attended the ceremonies which were presided over by W. H. Edwards, who was installed as consul of Greater Oakland camp

State Deputy H. V. Rees, acting head consul, installed the newly elected officials with District Deputy B. M. Watson, acting head escort. The uniform rank team of Fraternity camp assisted in the exercises.

Vocal and instrumental selections together with recitations and speeches were given at the close of the installation

The officers of Fraternity camp, No. 11,422, were installed as follows

Past consul, H. A. S. Cooley, consul, C. S. Smith; advisor, G. O. Williams, banker, C. H. Osgood, clerk F. D. Morrill escort, B. J. Elliott; examining physician, Dr. H. D. Bell, 3rd manager, A. V. Warren

Greater Oakland camp officials were seated according to rank—Consul W. H. Edwards Past Consul J. F. Bethel Advisor Larsen; Clerk J. T. Chiles, Banker C. L. Hendrick, Escort Thomas Pepler, Watchman M. J. Casolo, Sentry W. Brakeville, Manager W. Bressler.

The following Royal Neighbors of American were installed

Oracle, Mrs. C. E. Dorsey; vice-oracle, Mrs. M. Mitchell, chancellor, Mrs. A. L. Keeler, recorder, Mrs. C. E. Bromley; receiver, Mrs Sadie West marshal, Mrs. Mayme Joseph inner sentinel Miss Louise Rusch; outer sentinel, Mrs. Anna Rose manager, A. L. Keeler, physician, Dr. H. B. Mehmann, musician Miss Hazel McKenzie Mrs. E. M. Watson and Mrs. Olive Tolford directed the installation

Among those who took part in the program were Miss Ruth McKenzie, Mrs. Warren, Belmore, F. D. Morrill, H. J. Halsell, W. H. Brink, Mr. La Rue, Miss Nelson and Miss Jorgenson.

Illinois Society Will Hold Happy Gathering

The regular monthly gathering of the Bay Cities Illinois Society will be held tomorrow evening This meeting promises to be one of much interest as the new officers are planning many new features for the coming year. Christopher Buess, probation officer for the city of Oakland, is to speak on his work among the boys and as he has had experience with this phase of city life his talk should be exceedingly interesting The Appomattox Glee Club will render several selections, Mrs Alma Pahr will contribute piano solos and Alfredia Hibbert a leader in elocution and oratory will render two numbers "The Price of a Man" and "The Farmer and the Wheel" All natives and former residents of Illinois as well as friends, are invited to attend and will receive a cordial welcome. The society meets in Woodman hall No 2, 521 Twelfth street, Oakland.

Death Promised Her Once Every Week

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7—"To have your husband intoxicated the greater part of the time to be threatened regularly once a week with death, and to have yourself choked on an average of two or three times a month, cannot but add spice and variety to marital existence, and, according to Mrs. Noney Cordes, who brought suit for divorce this morning against Richard Cordes, this was the regular routine of her life

Mrs. Cordes was married to Richard Cordes January 7, 1907, and in her complaint she sets forth that her spouse was "intoxicated the greater part of the time." Aside from threatening her life and choking her, she declares he amused himself by smashing her personal effects.

LIE SAVES ALFONSO FROM WIFELY LECTURE

King George of Greece Takes it On Himself to Straighten Out Tangle.

GABY DESLYS ROUSES JEALOUSY OF QUEEN

Story Circulated That Monarch Introduced Her to Manuel.

MADRID, Jan. 7.—A charming story is current here that proves that the gentle art of lying like a gentleman, did not die with King Edward of England.

It has been known for some time that there have been some very unpleasant hours at the royal palaces. The queen and the king have been decidedly "at outs." So much so, indeed, that more than once court circles have whispered that her majesty intended "going home to her mother," not so much for the purpose of paying her English parents a visit, as to show her displeasures with her Spanish spouse

This friction dates back to the publication of a report that it was King Alfonso who introduced the then King Manuel to the fascinating French actress whose fascination over the fallen monarch seems still to be of the liveliest order.

PRINTED AT MADRID.

The story was guardedly printed here, but the English papers while reach the palace, published it in extenso and when the queen read it there was a scene. Her majesty demanded an explanation and although the king denied the incident, the royal relations became strained.

In his extremity and distress, for Alfonso is really devotedly attached to the queen, the king appealed to that prince of good fellows, the King of Greece. The latter monarch, who, although of Lutheran leanings and 67 years old, is a "gallant man" in the French sense of the term. His visits to Paris are always joyous events and his acquaintance with the prettiest of the pretty actresses is of the widest.

PROMISES TO HELP.

King George at once promised to straighten out the tangle and in a day or two there appeared a despatch from Paris that stated that Gaby Deslys had been exhibiting to her friends a letter from His Hellenic majesty which ran in effect

"Why have you been so indiscreet as to add to the misfortunes of the royal house of Portugal by boasting of your capture of King Manuel Had I known that any act of mine would lead to the least step on your part, I certainly should not have done you the great and most undeserved honor of allowing you to kiss his majesty's hand. That I should have in a moment of indiscretion as great as yours, have introduced his majesty is a matter that I most sincerely regret"

Needless to say, means were adopted by which Queen Ena saw the letter and now the relations of the Spanish royal family are again of the most affectionate character.

URGES ARIZONA TO ADOPT NEW LAWS

U. S. Senator Bourne Advises People to Ignore President's Opinion.

GLOBE, Az. Jan. 7. — United States Senator Jonathan Bourne of Oregon, in a letter addressed to President Hunt of the Constitutional convention urges the people of the Territory to adopt the constitution promulgated at Phoenix and says they would be unfit for statehood if they failed to do so

Senator Bourne's letter, in part, says "At the outset, let me say that the question of whether the President will or will not approve the Arizona constitution should be wholly immaterial The people of Arizona had better lose statehood than yield the control of their own State government What mockery it is to start the constitution with a preamble declaring, 'we the people of Arizona, grateful to Almighty God for our liberties' then to pause for an instant the thought of surrendering or limiting that God given liberty at the instance of any man, who appears to occupy temporarily the office of President.

PROTESTS DICTATION.

"Dictation from one man in Washington should be as distasteful to the people of Arizona as dictation from London was to the American Colonists If the people are so craven in spirit, so doubtful of their own intelligence, of their own ability to govern themselves, as to consider the elimination of the popular government features of the new constitution, then they shall be doubted of their fitness of statehood"

Continuing Senator Bourne says he has no idea of what action President Taft will take regarding the constitution, but believes that "no president will set up his judgment against the judgment of the entire people of a commonwealth, especially when the people have decided that they wish to retain control of legislation"

Hospital Service in New Uniforms

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The local emergency hospital service was equipped this morning with brand-new uniforms of a regulation pattern which will be worn by stewards and drivers throughout the city Since the fire there has been no uniform for the hospital employes but recently the board of health decided to re-establish the old rule of having the employes especially designated by a regulation outfit

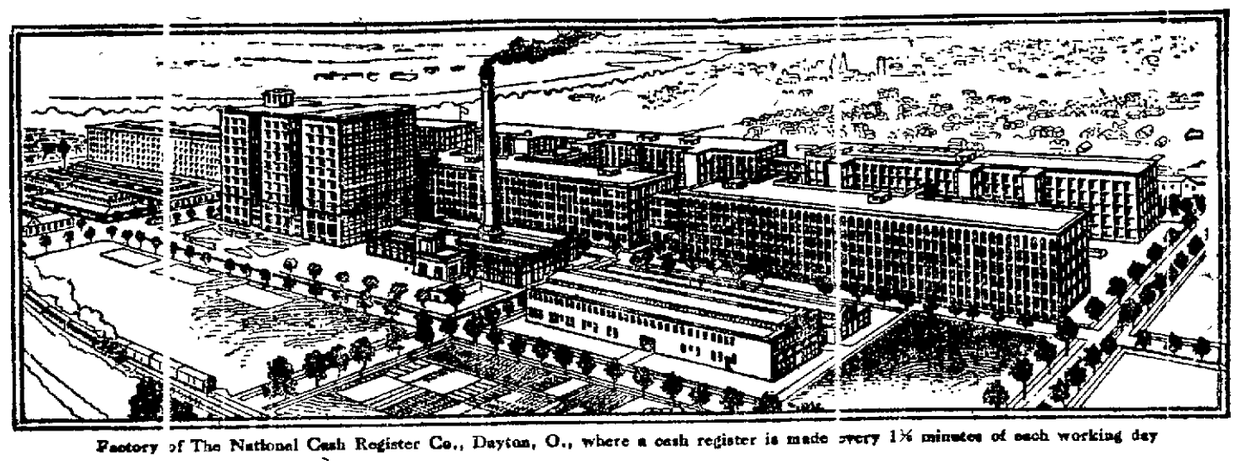
Today two doctors, two nurses, two stewards and Chief Steward Bucher, with an ambulance, were sent to the aviation field for duty during the entire ten days of the meet.

MASKED MEN KILL MAN AND WOUND WIFE

RENO, Nev., Jan. 7.—Three masked men entered the saloon of Gene Quilici last night at Imlay, the division point of the Oregon Short Line, 35 miles southwest of Winnemucca, and, failing to get money on demand, shot the proprietor dead and probably fatally wounded his wife with a bullet in the back.

Storekeepers' Convention On At Dayton.

Representatives of The National Cash Register Company Attend Annual Gathering of Salesmen at the Factory



Factory of The National Cash Register Co., Dayton, O., where a cash register is made every 1¾ minutes of each working day

Representatives of the National Cash Register Company, to the number of 180, from points all over the United States and Canada are meeting this week at the Dayton factory. There they are studying the latest and best store systems and methods of handling transactions between customers and clerks.

A little later other groups of salesmen, including our local representative, will attend similar conventions at Dayton. For this is the annual convention season when we bring together our salesmen, so that each may get the benefit of the ideas and experience of all.

L. A. HEARIN.

The National Cash Register Company's representatives are more than salesmen; they are experts on Store System.

In 1910, by installing improved methods of handling sales, they increased the profits of 129,154 retail storekeepers. Over $50,000,000 a day are handled by National Cash Registers.

In their annual conventions at Dayton our salesmen interchange ideas and study the newest, most improved business methods. They suggest improvements in registers to meet storekeepers' needs; for all of the important practical improvements are made in direct response to the suggestions or demands of storekeepers.

Our representatives also attend "post graduate courses" at the company's School for Salesmen. Here they are taught by the leading store system experts of America the best ways of handling cash and credit sales and all other transactions that take place in a store.

The school idea is carried throughout the entire factory with its 5763 employes Each one is taught the best way of doing his work. As a result the N. C. R. has built up a force of skilled workers which could not be duplicated anywhere.

That is why this company can guarantee to furnish the best cash register for the storekeeper's needs at the lowest price. That is why the output of the factory has been doubled in the last four years with only 9 per cent more employes. The storekeeper gets the benefit of these economies.

The monthly output of the factory is over 10,000 registers, ranging in price from $5 to $765—a cash register for every kind of retail store, large or small.

Monthly sales average $1,800,000. October sales broke all records, totaling $2,300,000, the orders coming from 19 countries all over the civilized world.

129,154 storekeepers bought National Cash Registers in 1910, an increase in sales of 20 per cent. over 1909. And the demand is increasing so fast that new machinery is now being installed in the factory to prepare for an output of 155,000 registers in 1911.

Mr. L. A. Hearin, our local representative, has had the benefit of the annual conventions and the N. C. R. School in the past. He will go to the factory shortly for our 1911 convention. His increased knowledge of up-to-date business systems and methods of handling transactions between clerks and customers, gained through contact with other system experts, will be freely tendered to any storekeeper. Send for him and let him suggest ways to increase your profits for 1911.

The National Cash Register Company, Dayton, Ohio

359 Twelfth Street, Oakland, Cal.

PORTUGAL ALLOWS MANUEL FUNDS

British Government Intercedes Successfully in Behalf of Ruler.

LISBON, Jan 7. — The British government has intervened successfully with Portugal on behalf of the deposed purse of the deposed King Manuel.

Representatives from the foreign office at London set forth that the exiled monarch was possessed of insufficient means for his personal needs.

Accordingly the Portuguese government has decided to allow him to receive the revenue derived from the properties of the house of Braganza, pending a final settlement between the state and the royal family.

Portugal Rules Against Religion

LISBON Jan. 7 — A government decree issued on the subject of property right of religious orders contains a clause forbidding monks and nuns of the orders to wear a distinctive dress and prohibits the return to the country of expelled Jesuits until twenty years have elapsed following their expulsion.

TO GROW HAIR ON A BALD HEAD

BY A SPECIALIST.

Thousands of people suffer from baldness and falling hair who having tried nearly every advertised hair tonic and hair-grower without results, have resigned themselves to baldness and its attendant discomfort Yet their case is not hopeless, the following simple home prescription has made hair grow after years of baldness and is also unequalled for restoring gray hair to its original color, stopping hair from falling out, and destroying the dandruff germ. It will not make the hair greasy, and can be put up by any druggist: Bay rum, 6 ounces; Lavona de Composee, 2 ounces; Menthol Crystals, one-half drachm. If you wish it perfumed, add half to one teaspoonful of Toi-Kalon Perfume, which unites perfectly with the other ingredients. This preparation is highly recommended by physicians and specialists, and is absolutely harmless, as it contains none of the poisonous wood alcohol so frequently found in hair tonics. Do not apply to the face or where hair is not desired.

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CLASSIFIED WANT ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RESULTS FOR MONEY INVESTED.

NEWS OF SCHOOLS — BOYS AND GIRLS — AMATEUR ATHLETICS

12,000 ENTERED IN THE SCHOOLS OF THIS CITY

Institutions Crowded and Plans for Term Just Commenced Are Laid.

Over 12,000 students have registered in the public schools of this city, according to the statement made by Superintendent of Schools McClymonds last evening. In the Oakland high school the enrollment reached 1040, which is in excess of that of last year. The three high schools of this city are crowded.

In all the schools of Oakland studies commenced last Tuesday after a vacation of three weeks, and the boys and girls who were refreshed during that time began their work in the different schools.

The majority of the boys and girls who graduated from the grammar schools have enrolled in the high schools.

One of the important features of the school activities will be the athletics in the high school as well as in the grammar schools, which will be under the direction of the board of education.

The athletic carnival, which will be held in the spring, will be one of the attractive events of the school year. Many of the leading athletes of the schools of the bay cities will compete for honors at the meet.

DEWEY SCHOOL AT FRUITVALE HAS FAST TEAM

New Players Prove of Value and Nine Will Seek Championship.

The Dewey grammar school of Fruitvale has tried out its fast baseball squad and has selected ten players for the team for the coming season. The boys are practicing every day and make a promising showing. The school has a better team than last season. They are trained faithfully and some of the players such as Dake, Dean, Stratters, Bountan and Whittier are doing fine work. Hart Dean has been chosen manager of the new team, William Bountan captain and Ralph Stratter treasurer.

Manager Dean has looked around and by his careful selection has secured three fast players. Ralph Stratter, who is from Fruitvale school No. 1, is to take charge of the twirling and it is expected he will prove a valuable player to the team. K. Whittier comes from Fruitvale No. 1. Dake is a slugger and a fast player for third base. Whittier will occupy first base.

The lineup is as follows: Stratter pitcher, Dean catcher, Whittier first base, Owens second base, Dake third base, Boldesworth shortstop, Bountan left field, Lagoria center field, Cunningham right field, Christiansen substitute.

CLAREMONT WINS FROM BUSHRODS

Football Teams Play a Hard-Fought Game and Struggle for Points.

The Claremont football team defeated the Bushrod All-Stars yesterday afternoon by the score of 6 to 0 in one of the hardest-fought football games of the season. The forward pass was used often with much success by both teams. During the first half the ball traveled up and down the field, with both teams unable to score. Several times during the game different players were held out, but did not have to retire. The first half ended with no score for either team, but with Bushrod on Claremont's 10 yard line. The second half opened with the ball on Claremont's possession. Claremont resorted to a steady bucking game and came dangerously near Bushrod's goal.

Bushrod secured the ball on a fumble and gained on Claremont. At this juncture Vic Phalger, who had been playing a steer game for the Claremonters, secured the ball and by a brilliant run scored a touchdown.

At the end of the third quarter Bushrod was on Claremont's 15 yard line, and in the last quarter was right under neath the goal posts, with four yards to gain. Four attempts to score were unsuccessful, and, through a fumble, Claremont received the ball. A long kick from behind the goal posts brought the ball into the middle of the field, and saved Claremont from a score.

Of the players "Red" Hanley of the Oakland High team played a fine game, making many good distance kicks. Blackwell and W. Reynolds played a good game. Phlager and Hartwell starred for Claremont, Phlager scoring the only touchdown, and Hartwell was good at falling on the ball.

The same teams will play again January 21.

The players included:

Claremont — Brayil, center; Fellows, r. g.; H. Kenna, l. g.; A. Jordan, r. t.; Mace Hartwell, r. t.; B. Hartwell, l. t.; Palanne, l. e.; O'Connell, q. b.; Bernatt, r. h.; Phlager, l. h.; De Manuel, f. b.

Bushrod All-Stars—W. Reynolds, center; Clark, r. g.; Blackwell, l. g.; Cowan, r. t.; E. Clark, r. t.; Mahan, l. t.; McAuliffe, l. e.; Gonzales, q. b.; Trask, r. h.; Hanley, l. h.; Anderson, f. b.

56 Volunteer Fire Companies in Gotham

NEW YORK, Jan. 7. — A report of the New York fire department shows that there are still fifty-six volunteer fire companies within the boundaries of Greater New York.

The "Vamps" afford fire protection to a territory representing about a fourth of the total area of the city. Their equipment includes seventy chemical engines and sixty hose cars.

LIEUTENANT IS ILL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—First Lieutenant A. H. Barkley, coast artillery corps, Presidio of San Francisco, is confined to his quarters with la grippe.

BASKETBALL IN CITY PARKS DELIGHTS HUNDREDS OF GIRLS

Girls of Bushrod Park Playground who are engaged in a game of basketball. This is a mid-winter scene in Oakland, where sunshine rules the year around.

Since the introduction of basketball as a game for girls, it has been one of the most popular pastimes in the playgrounds of this city, where hundreds of girls have learned the points in the game. Under the direction of Miss Johanne Johnson, who is in charge of the girls' department of Bushrod park, and Miss Campbell of de Fremery park, they have become graceful athletes.

Several hundred girls enjoy the sport during the afternoon and representatives from all the schools of Oakland take part in the recreation, which is proving a physical benefit.

Numerous forms of amusement occupy the time of the children who attend these pleasure places daily. From the moment the doors of the playgrounds are open the boys and girls seek admission and take advantage of the outdoor gymnasium.

The gymnastic apparatus which was recently installed in de Fremery park has been used steadily and the children are showing their appreciation to the playground commission by endeavoring to obey the laws of the grounds, which have been prepared by the directors.

Borax King Gives DonKey to Boy Who Admired It

F. M. Smith's gift of a donkey to Kimmy Calley, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil J. Calley of 466 East Seventeenth street, has caused excitement among his sisters and brothers as well as his playmates in East Oakland, where Kimmy is a general favorite.

Since the donkey was received the youngsters of the neighborhood have been riding over the hills and are taking advantage of the contribution made by the magnate.

Kimmy is proud of the animal and spends the greater part of the day with it. He admired the beast when it was being fed by the superintendent of Arbor Villa and wrote a letter to the borax king. In reply Smith sent the animal.

In expressing a desire for the donkey Kimmy said that he wished it to drive the food wagon of the Boy Scouts of East Oakland, of which he was the captain. The donkey is fulfilling its mission.

Many Games Planned On Local Playgrounds

The Alta Club basketball team defeated the Bushrods by the score of 20 to 18 yesterday on the Piedmont courts. A return game will be played next Saturday.

The lightweight basketball teams representing Bushrod and Lincoln Park, Alameda, will play a game of basketball next Saturday morning at Bushrod. Next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 the Phoenix football team of Alameda will play the Bushrod All-Stars. Both teams are fast and a good game should result. The Phoenix team defeated the fast Ashbys by the score of 23 to 0, and, as the Bushrod team also won from the Ashbys by a good score, the two teams appear to be on a par.

A number of players from the Alameda High team play with the Phoenix team. Elbert Vail will referee.

Y. W. C. A. PLANS NEW BUILDING

Decides at Annual Meeting to Raise Funds for Modern Home.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—The Young Women's Christian Association held its annual meeting and election of officers last Friday. A profitable and prosperous year in the business of the association was reported.

The association will shortly begin to raise funds for the purchase of a downtown building for its use as a new headquarters. The following ticket was elected for the coming year:

Honorary Presidents: Hearst, Mrs. Phoebe A.; Alexander, Mrs. Chas. B.

Board of Directors: Thurston, Mrs. George H.; Prescott, Mrs. George; Merrill, Mrs. John F.; McDonald, Mrs. M.; Snider, Mrs. H. J.; Cutler, Miss A. G.; Vice presidents Van Winkle, Miss Helen; Baldwin, Mrs. A. B.; Wendall, Mrs.; Unger, Mrs. Adolph; Managers: Jones, Miss E. M., corresponding secretary; Van Winkle, Mrs. H., financial secy.; Allen, Mrs. E. T.; Bailey, Mrs. Jas. D.; Bates, Mrs. Frank; Beaver, Miss Anna W.; Christy, Miss Emilia H.; Crocker, Mrs. William; Gale, Mrs. H. P.; Haynes, Mrs. John; Jones, Mrs. M. P.; Kelley, Mrs. L. A.; Kittle, Mrs. N. O.; Martel, Mrs. J. L.; Marvin, Mrs. F. W.; Miller, Mrs. T. L.; Morse, Mrs. De M.; Mullin, Mrs. Geo. A.; Newmall, Miss Virginia W.; Peckham, Miss Helen; Rader, Mrs. William; Rawles, Miss Elizabeth D.; Reed, Miss Louise; Shotwell, Mrs. J. W.; Sprunance, Mrs. John; Somers, Mrs. J. W.; Wulf, Mrs. E. R.; Willis, Mrs. E. R.; Whitney, Miss Grace; Trustees: Crocker, William H.; Merrill, John F.; Marsh, Lester L.; Coleman, Edward; Dutton, W. J.; Fredericks, George; Thurston, George P.; Fredericks, George, auditor; Belcher, E. A., attorney; Consulting Physicians: Cameron, Ida B.; Harrison, S. I.

ITALY'S KING TO WORK ON APRIL EXHIBITION

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The exhibition at Turin which will be opened by the King of Italy on April 29 next, will be situated on the outskirts of the city on both sides of the River Po at a point where it flows through a narrow valley. As the river here is very shallow it has been deepened by dredging and the level of the water raised by means of dams, so that a service of motor boats may be established and nautical displays take place. There being only one permanent bridge at this point, others are being constructed, of which the largest will have two surfaces, one for moving platforms and one for pedestrians. The exhibition will be one of the largest yet held, its area being about 1,000,000 square metres, of which 280,000 square metres will be covered.

GOOD SHOWING IN BANK CLEARANCES

Increase of $1,650,100 in Proportionate Cash Reserve as Against Previous Week.

NEW YORK, Jan. —The statement of clearing house banks for the week (five days) shows that the banks hold $9,502,400 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent rule. This is an increase of $1,659,800 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week.

Loans, $1,228,335; decrease, $5,853,900.

Specie, $239,203,400; increase, $873,100.

Legal tender, $771,17 ,500; increase, $1,262,600.

Deposits, $1,203,490 00; increase, $1,903,600.

Circulation, $47,518,500; decrease, $209,900.

Reserve, $310,474,9 0; increase, $21,235,900.

Reserve required, $300,872,500; increase, $476,500.

Surplus, $9,592,400; increase, $1,659,800.

United States deposits, $1,652,100; decrease, $8,700.

Actual condition:

Loans, $1,215,542,7 0; decrease, $22,631,900.

Specie, $246,241,800; increase, $9,530,300.

Legal tenders, $51,79 ,100; increase, $718,300.

Deposits, $1,197,148, 00; decrease, $9,257,600.

Circulation, $47,618, 00; decrease, $61,900.

Reserve, $318,036,1 00; increase, $10,284,900.

Reserve required, $299,287,175; decrease, $2,313,825.

Surplus, $18,748,725; increase, $12,662,725.

United States deposits, $1,644,500; decrease, $12,300.

Summary of state banks and trust companies in Greater New York not reporting to the New York clearing house:

Loans, $1,099,744, 00; decrease, $7,878,300.

Specie, $118,300,9 0; increase, $713,700.

Legal tenders, $20,91 ,900; decrease, $214,700.

Total deposits, $1,1 0,885,600; increase, $7,657,400.

HEAVY DEMAND FOR WINTER WEAR

Bradstreet's Reports On Conditions of Trade Throughout the Country.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Bradstreet's says:

Country side cold weather, especially severe west and south, was stimulated demand for heavy winter wearing apparel and combined with unusual clearance sales, has made for a better than average final distribution of seasonable goods.

In the wholesale lines holiday inventories have been completed and salesmen are again on the road. Reports from jobbers are of a quite optimistic feeling as to spring trade, and good sales of goods adapted to retail clearance sales are reported.

METALS DULL.

Iron and steel are dull and pig iron stocks are accumulating. Cold weather has helped coal consumption and sales of bituminous coal in the west and of anthracite in the east are active. No shortage of supply is reported.

Leather trades are quiet and reports of widespread stoppage of work in tanneries give firmness to stock of finished materials. Cotton goods are quiet in primary markets, and year end reviews of the 1910 results are disappointing as a whole.

Theer aer rather more optimistic reports as to lumber trade conditions on the north Pacific coast and a feeling that the depression in that line in 1910 is giving way to a more favorable situation.

FAILURES INCREASE.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending January 5 were 281 against 251 last week, 271 in the like week of 1910; 329 in 1909, 480 in 1908 and 282 in 1907.

Business failures in Canada for the week number 27, which compares with 33 last week and 33 in the like week of 1910.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending January 5 (Portland, Ore. advices not received) aggregate 2,566,914 bushels, against 2,775,929 last week and 3,155,140 this week last year.

Corn exports for the week are 2,294,379 bushels against 1,149,411 last week and 1,766,584 bushels in 1910.

CHANGE IN THE STYLE OF ARREST

Misdemeanor Offenders Will Not Ride in the Chicago Police Patrol Wagon.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7. — The municipal court judges of Chicago have demanded a change in the form of arrest for a misdemeanor. At a special meeting yesterday they signed an order that in the future all arrests for minor violations of a city ordinance shall be made by summons instead of by warrant.

When this police reform is instituted, as it will be as soon as the necessary blanks and books are printed, the humiliation of being arrested for some trivial offense will be removed. It means that a majority of persons who will be arrested in the city this year will escape the embarrassment of a patrol ride.

Automobile speeders who are caught, instead of being taken to the station and forced to put up an appearance bond, will be handed a summons to appear in court the next day and allowed to go their way.

"More than 70,000 persons were arrested in Chicago last year for misdemeanors," asserted Chief Justice Harry Olson. "If our ruling had been in effect in 1910, fully 50,000 of these would have escaped being taken to the police station when they were arrested."

Oakland Couple Now Man and Wife

Miss Grace Pearl Bullard of Berkeley and Loyola Leonard Mills, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Mills, formerly of Florida, but now of 1480 Twenty-third avenue, this city, were married at the Unitarian church at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, only the immediate family of the bride and groom attending. Rev. William Day Simonds, pastor of the church officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Fenn, while Silvarius Mills, brother of the groom, was best man. Following a brief honeymoon, the newly wedded pair will reside at 557 Sixty-second street, Berkeley.

Mr. Mills is a civil engineer in the employ of the county surveyor's office, while his bride has hosts of friends in the college town where the Bullard family have resided for some time.

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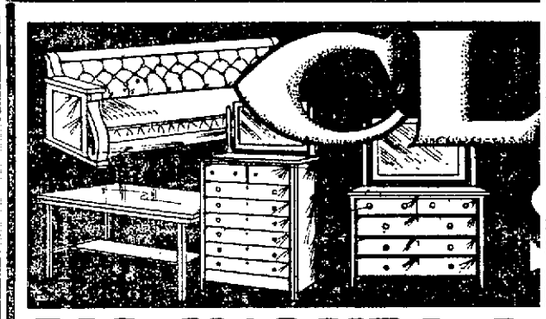
Western Union Loses $50 Damage Suit

BOSTON, Jan. 7. — In sustaining a verdict of $50 obtained by William E. Vermilye against the Western Union Telegraph company, the full bench of the supreme court holds that a telegraph company is obliged to accept a "sticker" on a message intended to fix additional liability on the telegraph company in the event of delay in transmission or non-delivery of a message.

The Western Union company refused to receive such a message.

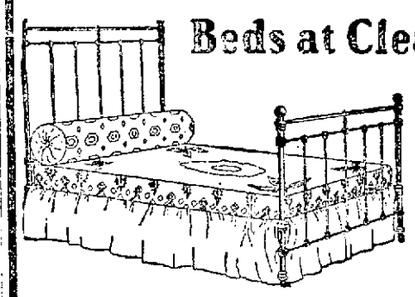


CLEAN-UP SALE

BIG VALUES, LARGE VARIETY, EASY PAYMENTS

This clean-up sale is one of our old fashioned sales, and to us it means an opportunity to rid our stock of odds and ends—cleans out patterns, one of a kind—and to you it means buying dependable house furnishings at big savings, and easy payments if you want them. You're welcome to investigate even if you don't buy.

15 Patterns Iron and Brass Beds at Clean-Up Prices



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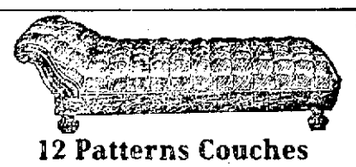

12 Patterns Couches Clean-up Prices

High grade Velour Couches

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Regular $12.00, special $7.85
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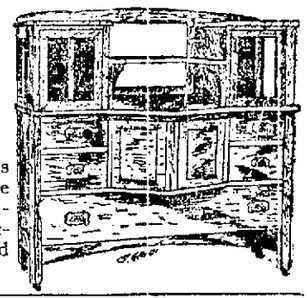
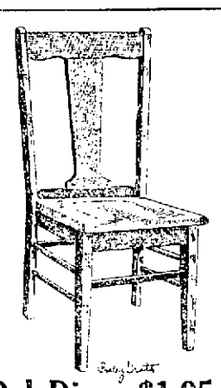
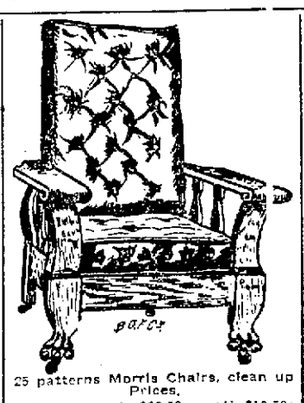
A genuine Arts and Crafts Fumed Oak Buffet, made in the famous Limbert's shop in Holland; large, commodious and exclusive lines; a big saving and easy terms.





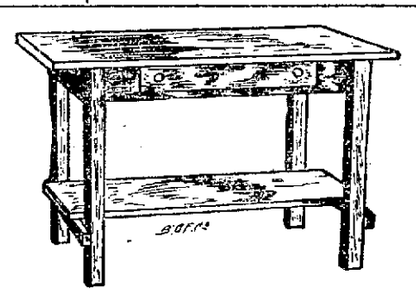
Oak Diner, $1.95

A Splendid Diner, golden or fumed.



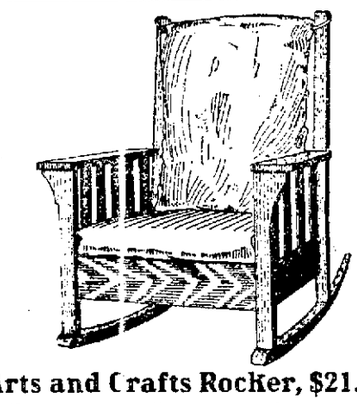
25 patterns Morris Chairs, clean up Prices.

This one only $10.50; worth $18.50; golden oak or fumed oak; reversible cushions.



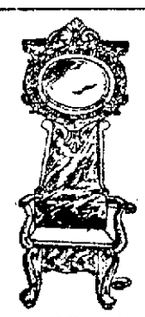
Solid Oak Mission or Golden $8.50

42-inch top; large undershelf exactly as pictured and worth $12.50. Clean-up price $8.50.



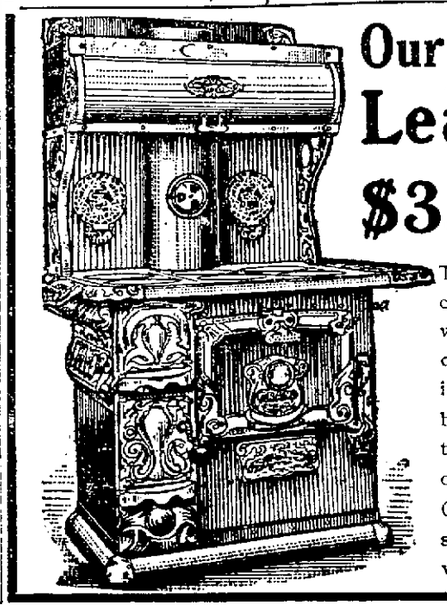
Arts and Crafts Rocker, $21.50

Massive, substantial, roomy; best Spanish leather cushions; regular $35.00.



All Hall Furniture Clean-up Prices

This $16.50 weathered oak Hall Tree only $9.50.



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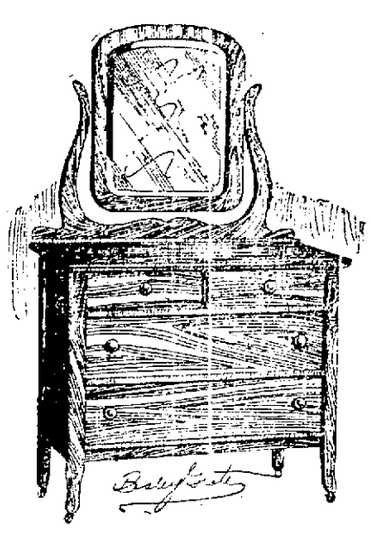

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40 TO 1 SHOT GATHERS IN FINAL SCRAMBLE AT TRACK

TRIBUNE'S DOUBLE PAGE OF SPECTACULAR FINISHES MARK RACE CARD

BASEBALL BEGINS AT COLLEGE

St. Mary's to Open Season This Afternoon

St. Mary's college Phoenix baseball nine will start off the 1911 season this afternoon on the Oakland college campus against Cliff Blankenship's all-star aggregation. Blankenship's line-up will include "Lefty" Cordtz, the lad who will be given a tryout by Vernon this year, and Harold Swanton and William Orr in the infield positions. Jim Driscoll will most probably do the pitching and Blankenship will be on the receiving end.

Opposed to Blankenship's team, St. Mary's will present practically a veteran line-up. The team has been out for daily practice since the beginning of the semester last week, and is fast getting into shape. St. Mary's will have seven veterans of last year's champion team in the field again, and, with eight likely looking candidates for the positions yet unfilled, every indication points to a banner year for the Phoenix. Wilcox and Honnetti are the only players St. Mary's has lost from last year's team.

SCHEDULE ARRANGED.

The schedule of the team will include games with the University of Southern California, University of California, Stanford university, Reno, and Santa Clara college. The first intercollegiate game will be played against Stanford on Saturday, February 4, at Oakland. St. Mary's is scheduled to line up against Stanford in a series of six games, the schedule for which is as follows:

Saturday, February 4, at Oakland.
Wednesday, February 15, at Stanford.
Wednesday, February 22, at Oakland.
Wednesday, March 1, at Oakland.
Saturday, March 11, at Oakland.
Wednesday, April 5, at Stanford.

TRACK PRACTICE.

Track practice will start at St. Mary's tomorrow and Captain Martin has a squad of 30 candidates to try out for the various positions. Martin is endeavoring to arrange a series of dual track meets with the University of California and Stanford freshman teams, and the local and up-country schools. Included in these will be meets with Modesto high school, San Luis Obispo high and San Jose high.

RACING

New California Jockey Club
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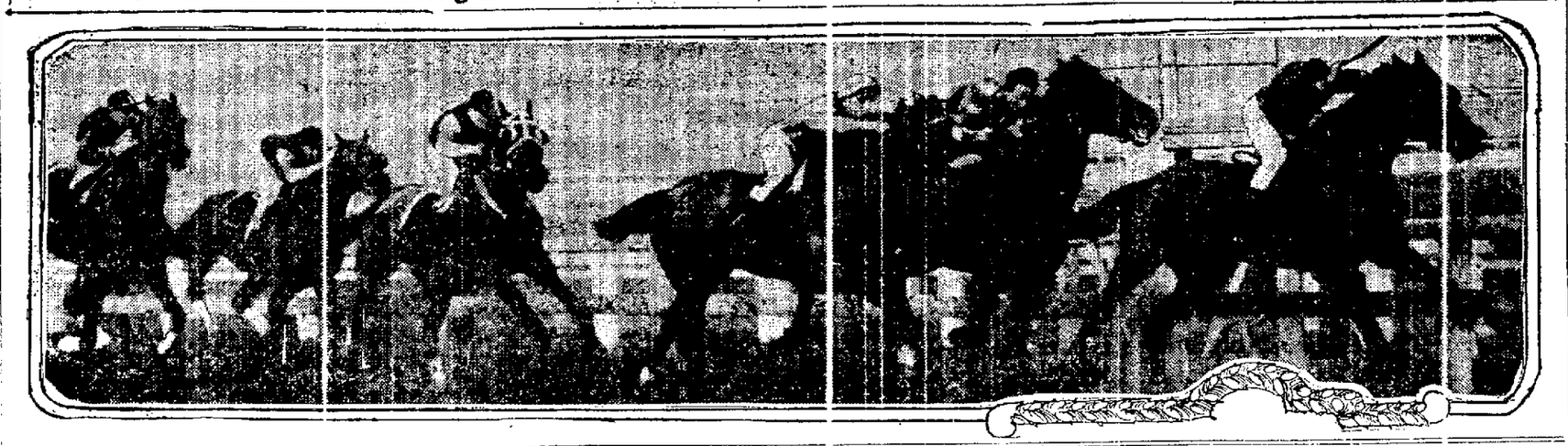
Pride of Lismore Winning the Fourth Race Yesterday in a Fast Finish After Having Led From the Start.



PRIDE OF LISMORE CAPTURES FEATURE IN A CLOSE FINISH

'Daggie' Smith's Crack Oakland Won the Colt Event Yesterday in Hollow Fashion

Despite the featureless card and co nter attractions, more than the usual big half-holiday crowd was on hand at the Oakland race track when the bugle called the horses to the barrier in the opening race yesterday afternoon. The hundreds of racing enthusiasts, who filled the spacious grandstand, surrounding lawns and other points of vantage at the popular and beautiful course, were amply rewarded for their pilgrimage to the Oakland race track, for the program developed sport of the most thrilling variety and furnished many surprises for the "occasional" visitor as well as for the "cease hardened" regular.

The main item of the card was the fourth race, at five and one-half furlongs, which brought together as speedy a bunch of sprinters as could be gathered together, and resulted in one of the biggest upsets of the afternoon. The talent sent checks in on Ariolette and Fernando, apparently overlooking Pride of Lismore, which went to the post a rewarding third choice at 5 to 1. Archibald got the Galveston gelding away sailing and running right back to his smart race of Monday, with twenty-one pounds added weight, took the track as soon as they were released from the starter's tap and made every post a winning one.

In the final furlongs, however, the rider had to shake him up to stall off the determined bid of Daddy Gip, which he held safe by a length as they dashed under the wire. Fernando, which also closed with a terrific stretch run, nosed out the last-string Ariolette for the small end of the purse. The latter had early speed, causing the pacemaker all the way to the paddock, and then doubled up like a jack-knife. C. P. Lamar's mare ran a disappointing race, as she appeared to have no excuses, other than she has had enough racing for a time.

OAKLAND SCORES AGAIN.

Next in public interest to the fourth race was the second, which was a three-furlong scramble for ladies. A smart field faced the starter in this event, and Binnell & McConnell's crack colt, Oakland, ran right back to race of Monday, and disposed of the field of youngsters which paraded in the second race, at will. Shouldering 117 pounds, which was 5 pounds more than on the day he scored his sensational victory, and 9 pounds more than any of the other starters, he shot to front as soon as the barrier was released and simply romped home. Vanir, from the string of G. W. Berry, ran a smashing good race, closing very fast and outgaming Lem Dale, the second finisher, by a head.

Jockey J. McIntyre signalized his first appearance here this season by riding Bambro, his first mount, to victory in the curtain raiser. C. P. Lamar's gelding was blocks the best of his field, however, and it required little horsemanship to guide him safely under the wire. McIntyre sent him to the front early and just breezed home by two lengths, quoting at 5 to 1, which was a generous price against his chances. Darrington closed with a terrific rush, disposing of Hannah Louise by half a length for the place.

BILLY MYER SURPRISES.

Billy Myer ran one of his good races and at the juicy odds of 10 to 1 easily took the measure of the big field of "class beers" which sported silk in the second sprint. Kirschbaum urged the son of Fresno to the front gradually, acquiring the lead in the stretch, and from there on won with consummate ease. In a fierce drive Father Stafford took place money from Platoon by a scant head.

"Star Pilot" J. McIntyre brought home his third mount of the card and his second odds-on choice when he landed Michael Angelo safely under the wire in the fifth race. C. P. Lamar's horse was backed for thousands to win this affair and assuming command at the start tipped his field all the way, gaining the purse by three-fourths of a length at the end. Royal River outgamed Sir Angus for the place.

The big jolt of the day came in the final race, when Melton Street, at the juicy odds of 40 to 1, came tearing through the stretch like a Kansas cyclone and grabbed the decision by a nose. Maxdice, the second choice, easily took the place by four lengths from Starry Night. Welakao, the heavily backed favorite, ran a dismal race.

Bambro and Michael Angelo, two of the favorites to make good for the talent, which raced in the colors of C. P. Lamar, were boosted and claimed after their respective races. The former was led away by A. L. Denn, while Michael Angelo was taken under the wing of Ed Whyte.

CRIPPLING THE INDUSTRY.

How seriously the enactment of the laws inimical to the racing sessions by the New York legislature has affected the thorough breeding interests of America is reflected by the records of the New York Jockey club's registration department. W. H. Rowe, who is in charge of the department of the jockey club, has given out a tabulation showing the registration of foals for six years, beginning with 1905 and ending with 1910, as follows:

Year.	Reg. Foals.	Year.	Reg. Foals.
1905	4411	1908	3706
1906	4202	1909	3102
1907	3883	1910	2364

The registration of the present year, compared with that of 1905, shows a decrease of 2040, over 4 per cent.

100,000-Point Game of Pool Won by Police

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Michael F. Barrett, a member of the state police, and Horace N. Noyes, a jeweler, have just completed a 100,000-point game of pool which they have been playing for the past three years at Mr. Noyes' home in West Newbury, Mass. The game was won by Barrett by 164 points. It was probably the longest game in history.

JACKSONVILLE RESULTS

JACKSONVILLE, Jan. 7.—First race, five and one-half furlongs—Herbert Turner, 12 to 5, won; Scrimmage, 4 to 1, second; The Whip, 3 to 1, third. Time—1:08 2-5.

Second race, one mile—Idelweiss, 5 to 2, won; Trustee, 15 to 1, second; Detect, 9 to 1, third. Time—1:42 4-5.

Third race, nine miles—Chite Wood, 13 to 1, won; Arbiter, 7 to 1, second; T. M. Green, 4 to 5, third. Time—1:11 1-5.

Fourth race, five furlongs—John Marrs, 3 to 1, won; Bright Maiden, 3½ to 1, second; Scrimmage, 3 to 1, third. Time—1:04 3-5.

Fifth race, six furlongs—All Red, 8 to 5, won; Enlford, 6 to 5, second; Colonel Ashmeade, 12 to 1, third. Time—1:14 4-5.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth—My Gal, 7 to 1, won; Ardi, 7 to 1, second; Avondack, 4 to 1, third. Time—1:49 3-5.

CLIFF IRELAND OUT WITH HIS LINE-UP

Cliff Ireland, the early morning glory manager of the baseball world, is now ready to break into the limelight to his annual six weeks' session. For more years than the oldest followers of baseball care to remember, Cliff has organized a team in Oakland each spring and had it take combat with the Cees from Cal. each year at California and Stanford and against the clever collegians of Santa Clara and St. Mary's.

The Independents will be composed of the following players this year: Dick Egan, Dolly Hallmeller, Doc Meskimen, Jimmy Hughes, Charlie Smith, Nick Williams, Duffy Lewis, E. C. Galassey, Len Kennedy, "Bill" Perine, Lefty Stolz and Mr. Ireland.

TRIBUNE FORM CHART

OAKLAND RACE TRACK---January 7, 1911 --- 49th day, Fall and Winter meeting, Weather clear, Track fast. E. C. HOPPER, Presiding Judge J. J. HOLTMAN, Starter.

7926 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, selling, four-year-olds and up. Purse, $300.

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7872	Darlington, 6 (O. Tarck)	113	4	..	6°	5°	5½	2	Wells	6	10
7858	Hannah Louise, 5 (W. Cahill & Co.)	108	3	..	1½	2°	2½	3	Glass	3	7-2
7817	Dargin, a (R. Schreiber)	110	1	..	3½	3½	4°	4	Archer	12	5
7855	Rifle of Iroquois, a (C. Lewis)	108	6	..	4½	5½	6°	5°	Eddie	8	10-3
7739	Queen Shore, a (A. C. Elliott)	110	5	..	5°	4°	3½	6	Dickens	30	40
....	Anglin, a (T. H. Stevens)	104	7	..	7°	7°	7°	7	Keen	15	50
7803	Joe Moser, a (W. P. Weaver & Co.)	110	8	..	8°	8°	8°	8	Austin	12	15

Rambro, place 7-10, show 1-3. Darlington, place 9-10, show 3-5. Louise show 1-10.
At post 5 minutes. Off at 2:18½. Time—:23 4-5, :47 2-5, 1:12 4-5.
Start good. Won easily. Second driving. Third easily.
Winner ch. g. by Alvescot—Irene. Trained by C. P. Lamar.
Scratched—Rubia Grande.
Winner bid up from $300 to $1000 by A. L. Denny and sold.
Bambro best, assumed lead at start and breezed in. Darlington ran his race and closed resolutely. Louise had speed; did her best. Dargin about done to ramble. Iroquois ran her race. Others never dangerous.

7927 SECOND RACE—Six furlongs, selling, four-year-olds and up. Purse, $300.

Index.	Horse. Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
7891	Filly Myer, 6 (J. M. Grant)	110	1	..	3°	3°	2½	1°	Archibald	3	10
7858	Father Stafford, 5 (C. Pendarvis)	110	3	..	2½	1½	1°	2	Adcock	3-2	10-3
7869	Platoon, a (J. M. Grant)	110	2	..	1°	2°	3½	3	Green	10	30
7885	Reese W., a (Hamilton & Conk)	108	5	..	5½	5°	4°	4	Organ	8	15
7891	Blacksheep, 6 (J. Tigert)	110	10	..	7°	6½	5½	5	Roberts	10	8
7891	Barney Bush, 6 (S. Carlile)	110	6	..	4°	7°	6°	6	Dickens	4	6
7813	Sepulveda, 4 (J. MacManus)	109	7	..	6°	8°	7½	7	Archibald	8	5
7883	Adean, a (W. Dickens)	108	11	..	10½	9°	8°	8	Lasse	5	10
7808	Sweigerlan, 5 (C. Pendarvis)	110	4	..	8½	10°	9°	9	Fischer	15	30
7908	Wellington, 5 (W. Gabriel)	110	8	..	9°	11°	10°	10	Carter	10	30
7749	Quick Trip, 5 (P. McKenzie)	110	7	..	11	12	11	11	Corbett	15	40

Myer, place 4-5, show 2-5. Stafford, place 1, show 1-2. Platoon, show 3-5.
At post 2:35 minutes. Off at 2:42½. Time—:23 4-5, :47 3-5, 1:15 3-5.
Start straggling. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Winner br. g. by Fresno—Pleasant Sail. Trained by J. Dixon.
Scratched—Earlington.
Myer came from behind in game fashion and won going away. Stafford had speed, but tired. Platoon hung on well. Reese showed resolution.

7928 THIRD RACE—Three furlongs, two-year-olds. Purse, $300.

Index.	Horse. Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
7874	Oakland (Binnell & McConnell)	117	2	..	..	..	1°	1½	McIntyre	2-5	3-10
7904	Vanir (G. W. Berry)	109	1	..	..	..	2½	2°	Glass	8	12
7904	Lem Dale (Alex & Hesketh)	109	4	..	..	..	3°	3°	Garner	4	6
7874	Pico (Hesketh & Hoag)	98	3	..	..	..	4½	4°	Fischer	10	20
....	Prosperity (G. Mead)	98	5	..	..	..	5°	5°	Archibald	*	*
....	Miss Cadillac (A. Camden)	106	7	..	..	..	7°	6½	Jaramis	10	30
7874	Prince Conrad (Hesketh Stable)	109	6	..	..	..	6°	7½	Dickens	30	100
....	Madorella (J. N. Camden)	96	8	..	..	..	8	8	Andrko	**	**

Oakland, place out, show out. Vanir place 1-10, show 2-5. Dale, show out.
At post 1½ minute. Off at 2:58½. Time—:35, :58 1-5.
Start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Winner, bik. c. by Bearealcher—Lavenia C. Trained by O. A. Binnel.
Oakland ran the best race of the day, took track early and breezed home. Vanir ran a game race, hooked up with Lem Dale final furlong and nosed him out at end. Pico made a nice showing. Others ran green.

7929 FOURTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs, selling, four-year-olds and up. Purse, $300.

Index.	Horse. Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
7873	Pride of Lismore, 4 (T. Goulding)	111	4	..	1°	1°	1°	1°	Archibald	3	9-2
7881	Daddy Gip, 4 (J. C. Stokes)	111	3	..	3½	3°	3°	2°	Paplin	8	15
7921	Fernando, 5 (H. Fender)	107	5	..	4°	2°	2°	3°	Glass	3	11-5
7921	Ariolette, 5 (C. P. Lamar)	105	2	..	2½	4°	4°	4°	McIntyre	7-5	9-5
7802	Sergeant Hoadley (C. C. Pritchard)	105	6	..	5°	5½	5½	5	Lofer's	4	6
7870	Mass, a (C. Lucchetti)	100	6	..	6	6	6	6	Jarzan	100	100
7751	Warfare, 5 (J. Lucchetti)	91	Left						Callahan	40	100

Lismore, place 2-5, show 7-10. Gip, place 4, show 8-5. Fernando, show 1-3.
At post 1-2 minute. Off at 3:02. Time—:23 1-5, :48 1-5, 1:06.
Start good for all but Warfare. Won ridden out. Next two driving.
Winner, b. g. by Galveston—Clara White. Trained by L. Hoffman.
Lismore forged his way, standing a hard drive at end. Gip pressed with great rush, was going on the wire with every stride. Fernando did his best. Ariolette quit, seems to have had enough racing.

7930 FIFTH RACE—One mile and twenty yards, selling, four-year-olds and up. Purse, $300.

Index.	Horse. Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
7886	Michael Angelo, 5 (C. P. Lamar)	112	2	..	1°	1½	1½	1°	McIntyre	3-5	7-10
7872	Royal River, a (G. A. Robelhan)	103	5	..	3½	4°	3½	2°	Gergan	6	8
7884	Sir Angus, 6 (J. Robbins)	103	3	..	2½	2°	2½	3°	Dickens	3	8
7786	Direct, 5 (R. J. McGeagle)	109	4	..	4½	3°	4°	4°	Paplin	10	6
7892	Marigot, 4 (Ormonde Stable)	98	1	..	5°	5½	5½	5	Garner	1	6-5
7872	Henry O., 4 (C. C. Henderson)	107	6	..	7°	7°	6°	6	Roderis	10	100
7750	Alfonso, 5 (Duckworth Stable)	107	7	..	6°	6°	7°	7	McBride	15	40

Angelo, place 1-2, show out. River, place 2, show 4-5. Angus, show 4-5.
At post 1 1-2 minute. Off at 3:26 1-2. Time—:24, :48 3-5, 1:14 4-5, 1:40 3-5, 1:42 1-5.
Start good. Won handily. Second driving. Third cleverly.
Winner, ch. h. by Orsino—May Angelo. Trained by C. P. Lamar.
Winner bid up from $1200 to $1400 by E. Whyte and sold.
Angelo led all the way and won easily. River ran to her notch. Angus did his best. Direct will do better soon. Others showed nothing.

7931 SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs, three-year-olds. Purse, $300.

Index.	Horse. Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
....	Melton Street, (H. J. Mackenzie)	104	4	..	6°	3½	2°	1°	Paplin	20	40
7851	Meadlee (C. P. Waterhouse)	104	5	..	4½	2½	3°	2°	Dickens	8-5	2
7887	Starry Night (T. W. Flynn)	98	6	..	7°	5	4°	3	J. McIntyre	8	7
7820	Golden Agnes (J. MacManus)	99	1	..	1½	1°	1°	4	Garner	1	8-5
7881	Welakao (G. Van Gorden & Co.)	101	2	..	3°	4°	5°	5	Gargan	6	10-3
....	Twickenham (Stokes & McDonald)	106	6	..	5°	6°	6°	6	Thomas	15	15
....	Cold Spring (A. G. Blakely)	98	3	..	2°	7°	7°	7	Glass	20	30
9432	Monkshand (W. Murphy)	106	7	..	9	9	9	8	Fogarty	60	100
7844	Don't (Henderson & Hogan)	99	8	..	8½	8½	8°	9	Radtke	40	100

Street, place 12, show 6. Maxdice, place 7-10, show 1-3. Night, show 6-5.
At post 4 minutes. Off at 4:55 1-2. Time—1:15 2-5.
Start good. Won in a drive. Second and third easily.
Scratched—Dacia, Hercule, Elita.

DUCKS ARE PUZZLING HUNTERS

Lack of Rain One of Scarcity Causes

Duck hunting during the past week has been somewhat of a puzzle to the regular hunters. The protracted period of dry weather has left but little fresh water throughout the state and the ducks are picking it out better than the hunters. Down in the Los Banos country there are limit bags to be had every day. On the Suisun marshes some of the ponds are well filled with visitors, while others are absolutely deserted.

The irrigation districts in the southern districts are attracting many birds, while the head waters of the San Joaquin, which have not hitherto been visited much by the ducks are now drawing them in large numbers.

SHOOTING STREAKY.

With the ducks looking for the best fresh water places the shooting has been streaky in most of the preserves. Clubs that have laid out fine ponds are finding that with the continued dry weather the ducks are finding places far from the ordinary line of flight, where they can rest on fresh water and feed on the food they like, and many of these cases in the desert of a duck's flight are located far from the places accessible to the hunters of the big cities.

Phil Bekeart has a place near Mowry's in Alameda county, and on Tuesday last he took Harry Golcher and Harvey McMurchie with him for a shoot over the fresh water ponds which have been laid out on the Bekeart place. Phil knew that he had the only sweet water hunting ponds in the vicinity, but up to last Tuesday he was the only one who knew it. Now McMurchie, Golcher and a lot of ducks are in the secret. Out of the big gathering of the birds that alighted in Bekeart's ponds on Tuesday the three shrewds picked out three limits.

QUAIL HUNTING DULL.

Quail shooting is dull near the city. There are no places where the hunters can go on a day's shoot and the closing of the season in March county by the ordinance passed by the supervisors deprives the quail hunters of one of their most prolific fields.

In Fresno county the birds are plentiful. W. W. Terrill was down in the Fresno foothills for two weeks and had six shoots. On each occasion he was accompanied by George Shipp and they managed to get the limit five times. Terrill bagged 15 on his other attempt. Walter Wood, Fred Willett and Ray Sherwood had a one-day's shoot in the same vicinity and each hunter got the limit of birds.

Louis Rink has also been pointing his gun at quail in Fresno county and he bagged several limits. And Louis didn't shoot in the same place every day.

BASKETBALL ENTRIES WILL CLOSE TUESDAY

Entries for the annual championship basketball tournament of the Catholic Athletic League will close next Tuesday with the Rev. Brother Timothy, secretary of the league. There will be, from present indications, sixteen teams registered, in two divisions—a regular class, which will include players weighing 110 pounds or less and which will correspond to the league series of last year, and a special class, which will include players weighing 120 pounds. There will be valuable trophies for the winning teams.

The regular division will attract teams from six local and four East-bay schools. Among the San Francisco institutions that will be represented will be Sacred Heart Grammar, St. Ignatius' Grammar, St. Peter's whose of the local division of last year's tourney; St. James' Star of the Sea and St. Joseph's. The Oakland teams will include Sacred Heart, North Oakland, St. Anthony's, East Oakland; St. Joseph's Institute, West Oakland, and St. Joseph's Academy, Berkeley.

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Second race, six furlongs—Rose Daly, 103; Shamrock, Lady Elizabeth, 105; Mike Molett, Sixteen, 107; Alice George, Waldorf Belle, 108; Bitter Sir, McNally, St. Kilda, Deneen, Dennis Stafford, 110.

Third race, six furlongs—Ocean Queen, 92; Bob Lynch, 102; Tex Wolf, 103; Lomond, 105; Gloria, 107.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth—Green Seal, 95; Cherry Pie, 110, Angelus, 113; Jack Atkin, Injury 120.

Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—Oriental Pearl, 104; Bob Farley, Emma L., 105; Lee's Friar, 108; Rue, Fritz Emmet, 107; Mockler, Pitapat, 110.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Tube Rose, 105; Mark Kennedy, Roy El Tovar, 107; Flying Pearl, 108; Thurlet, L. M. Eckert, 110; Joe Ehrich, 113; Elder, Tom McGrath, I'll Meter, Hidden Hand, 113.

THREE CLUBS TIED IN RIFLE CONTEST

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 7.—The second week of shooting in the Western division of the National Rifle Association interclub indoor rifle league leaves St. Paul, Butte and Pasadena, Cal., standing at the head of the list of twelve clubs with two matches and none last. The score of the week's match was reported to division headquarters in Minneapolis as follows:

St. Paul 963 versus Dickinson, N. D., 952.

Butte, Mont., 952 versus Tacoma, Wash., 893.

Seattle, Wash., 922 versus Los Angeles, Cal. 773.

Pasadena, Cal., 926 versus Minneapolis, Minn., 914.

Cleveland, O., 881 versus Adrian, Mich., 835.

Pasadena, Cal., 906 versus Milwaukee, Wis., 890.

Los Angeles, Cal., 791 versus Santa Ana, Cal., 777.

RAILBIRDS' CHIRPS.

FIRST RACE—St. Helier, Beatrice Soule, Academist.
SECOND RACE—Zimri, Florence S, La Cazadero.
THIRD RACE—Star Actor, Braxton, Feather Duster.
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EASTERNERS PREDICT THREE RING EXPERTS WILL LOSE

TERRIBLE FATES ARE PREDICTED FOR THE THREE CHAMPIONS

EASTERN CRITICS SAY STAR BOXERS WILL FALL IN 1911

Johnson, Wolgast and Attell Are Slated, but the Facts Do Not Bear It Out

By EDDIE SMITH

Throughout the Eastern cities th critics on boxing are making predictions for the coming year They always do, and generally with the same result—that none of them come true The predictions of the esteemed critics who earn a livelihood on the other side of the Rockies by writing boxing news are nine times out of ten like the fakers' fortune telling If the one in ten comes their way they forget all the mistakes they have made in their guessing and point to the one as sure proof that they are always right This year we find that the Mr Wise Men are predicting the overthrowing of three kings of the Queensberry game Abe Attell monarch of all he surveys in the featherweight division Adolph Wolgast big chief of the lightweights and Jack Johnson king of the heavyweights are the lads whose heads are to drop in the basket this year

EDDIE SMITH.

The reasons for the Attell overthrow is that he has now been in the game going on eleven years and has been very active since first entering it The fact that Abe must sooner or later take the count or be beaten decisively is no denied and there is a chance of this coming about

If you was to ask your humble servant to pick the man who will do it however I would have to refer you to Sweeney on the end book few years back that is true but he is as the slightest chance of his being

Dawning of the Baseball Season Gladdens Fans' Hearts

men whom they have ever confidence for a hard nut affe all With but ll of ups and downs, however it would hance to hang on a little longer

little face pressed against the glass and longed to be with us

MADE UP FOR LOST TIME

After a time I had the opportunity of seeing the result and you can take it from me that boy made up for lost time when he was in our midst If the same people who want the law passed will go back a few years to their boyhood days they will realize what it means for a young lad to have his liberty taken away from him If people are going to raise children whom they can feel safe in allowing out of doors on the seventh day they had better stick to the amusements or it is a well known fact that idleness breeds discontent and discontent often leads to other things that are worse

Sam Langford and Joe Jeanette are to have another meeting in Boston in the near future Joe and Sam have no less than six times and each time the battle has been reported to be one worth witnessing This is rather an unusual thing for, as a general rule when men have met more than twice they become so well versed in the style of the other that the contests are slow and lifeless Referee Charlie White who officiated the last time these men met said after the scrap that it was one of the best he had ever seen And the funny part of all this is that whenever I is mentioned that the two negroes are to battle some fool scribe hits the frame up

TIP WANTS RAIN

Tip O'Neil was asked the other day for the latest news about the Boston Red Sox team which is to visit the coast this season Just say for me said the genial Tip that the latest is that Mr O'Neil is calling on every luck piece I owns and every day is rubbing his left shoulder with a horse shoe pulling for it to rain like—well I was just going to mention a place where they have rain—but we want it to rain now so that when the team lands here we will be able to see the men in action frequently

I think the games between he coasters and Red Sox this spring will be the best that has yet been played on the coast for President John I Taylor is one of the sort who are always pulling for victory whether it is practice or real games Tip may be right and we hope he is

COMMITTEE NAMES FOOTBALL LINE-UPS

The selection committee of the California Association Football League has selected the teams which will represent Ireland and America in the match to be played at the Presidio grounds on January 2nd The sides appear to be evenly matched and a good game should be the result of the meeting The following are the men named

Ireland—Goal Crowley backs McGann and Monaghan halfbacks, Grant Fred Lynch and McIntyre forwards Maloney, Carragher T Lydon Cooper and J McIntyre Reserves Kyle Hyland and Harrigan

America—Goal Stewart backs Dyke and King halfbacks McCaskie, Reynolds and Ajots forwards Thoburn Phillips Punc Rutzler and Cross Reserves Schwaderer Slater and Hamilton

Referee Craig Wallace linemen Ward law and Farmer

BAKERSFIELD WILL HAVE FIELD TRIALS

The annual field trials of the Pacific Coast Field Trials Club will be held this year on the grounds near Bakersfield where so many successful competitions have been carried out by the same organization The trials will start on January 2nd and will last four and possibly five days

The entries already received by Secretary Courtney Ford indicate that a high class of dogs will be seen in the various contests The Derby entries include a number of dogs bred from the finest hunting stock in America and Judge C N Post who will again give the awards, is likely to have many close hearts to decide

The Derby will be decided on the first two days of the meeting On the third day the all aged stake will be run off and on the remaining days the champion stake and the members' stake will be contested

Congressman Tawney of Minnesota will retire to private life on March 4 next, after eighteen years in public service

TRIBUNE HANDICAP For Monday's Races

BEST BETS---St. Helier, Fountain Square
BEST TAKE-A-CHANCE---Native Son

FIRST RACE---Futurity Course; 3-year-olds:
ST HELIER—BEATRICE SOULE—ACADEMIST.

Index	Horse	Weight	Probable Odds	Remarks
7890	ST HELIER	97	2 1	Long overdue
7207	BEATRICE SOULE	105	5 2	Throw out race of it
7907	ACADEMIST	99	6 1	Improving
7830	Lescar	104	6 1	Short last start
7931	Heretic	102	4 1	Likes track
7877	Posey Posey	97	10 1	Has speed
7911	Dolly V B	95	15 1	Has speed
7869	Frank Ferris	97	10 1	Has speed
7880	Clara Hampton	93	20 1	Has speed
7764	Sneezer	92	20 1	No form

SECOND RACE---3 furlongs; purse; maiden fillies; 2-year-olds:
FLORENCE—ZIMRI—LA CAZADERO.

Index	Horse	Weight	Probable Odds	Remarks
7885	FLORENCE S	105	3 2	Close with first two
7885	ZIMRI	110	8 5	Off badly
7885	LA CAZADORE	105	6 1	Still greer
7885	Evelina	105	8 1	Still green
7885	**Auto Gir	105	8 1	Still green
7885	Chage of Air	105	15 1	Still green
	Hawnese	110	12 1	No line
	xQueen Ruth	110	6 1	No line
	xMarzo	110	6 1	No Line
	Helen N	110	15 1	No line

**Keene & Camden entry xHenderson & Hogan entry

THIRD RACE---1 mile; purse: 3-year-olds up:
FEATHER DUSTER—BRAXTON—STAR ACTOR.

Index	Horse	Weight	Probable Odds	Remarks.
7907	FEATHER DUSTER	84	5 2	Likes track
7872	BRAXTON	101	8 5	In grand trim
7772	STAR ACTOR	101	3 1	Will have good rider
7916	Buckthorn	105	4 1	Badly ridden
7914	Ayame	87	8 1	Won last out easily
	John E McMillan	106	10 1	Ran well at Latonia

FOURTH RACE---6 furlongs; The Applause Handicap; 3-year-olds and up:
FOUNTAIN SQUARE—ARASEE—MARCHMONET.

Index	Horse	Weight	Probable Odds	Remarks
7884	FOUNTAIN SQUARE	113	8 5	Likes track
7875	ARASEE	114	2 1	In grand trim
7917	MARCHMONET	107	4 1	Improving
7873	Thistle Belle	102	4 1	Always trying
7873	Roy Junior	109	6 1	Might surprise

FIFTH RACE---1 1-8 miles; selling; 4-year-olds up:
SEPULVEDA—CAPTAIN BURNETT—KAISERHOFF

Index	Horse	Weight	Probable Odds	Remarks
7927	SEPULVEDA	109	4 1	The one to be caught.
7888	CAPT BURNETT	111	3 1	Is consistent
7918	KAISERHOFF	108	6 1	Won last out easily
7879	Azo	108	8 1	Watch this one
7815	Greenbridge	110	10 1	Long overdue
7894	Spring Ban	106	12 1	Might wake up.
7888	Miami	108	6 1	Good long shot.
7894	Anna May	106	10-1	Might surprise
7930	Sir Angus	108	15 1	Good chance
7918	Dave Weber	105	15 1	Last out a fair one
7930	Henry O	108	20 1	Likes route
7888	Belleview	104	10 1	Hard to guess

SIXTH RACE---6 1-2 furlongs; selling; 4-year olds up:
EARLY TIDE—EVRAN—BAMBRO.

Index	Horse	Weight.	Probable Odds	Remarks
7893	EARLY TIDE	110	5 1	Loks like a spot
7891	EVRAN	109	3 1	Won last out easily
7926	BAMBRO	111	3 1	Is consistent
7889	Little Jane	109	6 1	Likes track
7903	Native Son	105	8 1	Boy threw race away
7906	Faneuil Hall	111	6 1	Has speed
7889	Lord of the Forest	113	4 1	Has speed
7905	Marburg	114	10-1	Has speed.
7895	Frank C Hogan	103	12-1	Has speed.
7927	Adena	105	12-1	Might surprise.
7889	Chief Desmond	105	20-1	Good long shot.
	Juna W	101	25-1	No line.

GREAT BRITAIN IS PERKING UP OVER BOXING VICTORIES

Owen Moran Jumped to the Front When He Trailed Nelson in Dust of Defeat

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

What with Owen Moran's victory over Battling Nelson Bill Lang's defeat of Jack Burns and Dave Smith's triumph over Bill Pipke old England and her colonie will begin to perk themselves on the newly acquired prestige of their boxers

W W NAUGHTON

It matters little that one of the champions was beaten by a champion who had trained on fresh eggs too often, that another was never very much of a puncher and that the third of the British champions was a victory on a foul

The fact remains that three Americans were defeated by three of John Bull's sons and it surely affords the sons of King George both a chance to boast that the country they belong to is coming to the front as a producer of worthy pugilists

What effect will the ring happenings have in regard to the fighting future? In Owen Moran's case the defeat of Battling Nelson has put the haughty old British lion on the front as a contender for the world's lightweight championship Just at present Ad Wolgast is holding Moran at bay with a punch but time will show who can land the best of the two and for the Wolgast-

LANGS ACHIEVEMENT

PAPKE WANTS RETURN.

SHOULD MEET AGAIN

Championships In Universities Evenly Divided

NEW YORK Jan 7—The athletic honors for 1910 were pretty evenly distributed, though when one considers the actual number of championships won Yale is found to top the list in three sports and a division of honors in a fourth Cornell and Columbia rank second, each having won a championship in three sports Pennsylvania comes next, while Princeton follows with two Harvard Dartmouth and West Point bringing up the rear with one championship each

The following table shows the distribution of the championships

Football Harvard, baseball Pennsylvania, track athletics Pennsylvania rowing, Cornell cross country Cornell association football, Columbia, basketball, Columbia golf Yale boxing, Yale, swimming, Yale, gymnastics, Columbia wrestling Cornell tennis, West Point hockey, Princeton, lacrosse Harvard

STEELHEAD ANGLERS BUSY

So evenly angling has been engaged in the matter of rod and reel men and rest of the fishing sect and in favor of anglers More the wary club men find they can only hope to attract comers would improve but little and rain and they could get it Then the long rods out the spoon and the meat who don't care to take fish unless they get them on a rod and line would use a chain to retain the game

The Russian River and its tributaries is full of fish Willing for close to get up the spawning beds to deposit their eggs in the cool waters of their home streams Not all the fish that run up the river do this however Many of them are caught on the way and others after they have spawned and are returning to the ocean Many of the fish that are caught in the river are not worth taking home as they are in poor condition after spawning but put some ambition into these fish

Such fish as have been caught by anglers have shown that they possess the fighting ability to until they are in the hole they show very little of being hooked I trust that the anglers have had a fair amount of sport

FISH IN TIDE WATERS

There are myriads of fish in the tide waters of Papermill creek They have been there for several weeks waiting for the freshet that will open up to them the way to the spawning beds but nothing the angler can offer in the way of a lure seems to have any attraction for the pugnacious warriors

The majority of the anglers are in favor of modifying the present law regarding fishing for steelhead in tide waters During February and March the season is closed During these months the fish go up the streams to the spawning beds and then return to the tide waters but the anglers claim that the number of fish taken in the nets and line would be only a drop in the bucket on account of the innumerable fish that make the journey up the streams The primitive methods of the country people who would just as soon hook the fish out with a pitchfork or a tub when the run is dense enough account for the disappearance of more fish in one day than the anglers take in a season with the rod and line

OLDFIELD REDUCES RECORD FOR A MILE

LOS ANGELES Jan 7 — Mortal man never went faster over a mile dirt track than did Barney Oldfield this afternoon on the Ascot Park track when he clipped one-fifth of a second off the former Pacific Coast record for a mile and negotiated the distance in 51 1 5 seconds with his Blitzen Benz car

The meet was held without the pale of the American Automobile Association

Jimmy Rau the famous Vanderbilt driver did sensational work in a new car and at the same time became a full fledged outlaw Ryal defeated Ben Kerscher in the five-mile event in 5 05 1 5 The free-for-all five-mile race was won by Kerscher in 5 59

PARI-MUTUELS IN GERMANY DO AWAY WITH PLUNGING

SCHOOLS ENTERING

ENTRIES TO CLOSE IN A WEEK

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—Entries for the coming basketball tournament of the Pacific Athletic Association will close next Sunday January 15 from present indications the tournament promises to be the most successful ever held on the coast There will be two divisions including all players weighing 130 145 pounds respectively and an unlimited class Each team will be allowed to enter 15 players in the line up and the best of the team will be determined by the weight of each player and not on an average as was the case in the series which was conducted by the league last year

This ruling will undoubtedly play havoc with the line ups of a large number of teams that captured championships in past years but new combinations will be developed in nearly every division The association committee in charge of the running of the tourney has decided to give a gold medal to the player on each team that scores the most points during the series of games Each player will be given a certificate of membership in the league which will entitle him to compete in any of the games played under the auspices of the association

SCHOOLS ENTERING

Among the local institutions that will be represented in the tournament will be St Ignatius college and grammar school St Ignatius will have a team in every division of the tournament with the possible exception of the unlimited pound class Saint Mary's college and grammar school will also have several teams entered and Polytechnic high school and college will each have teams represented in two divisions of the play

Games will also be played in outside cities of the state including Oakland Santa Cruz and Sacramento

The finals and semi-finals of the tournament will, however, be played on the local court Entry blanks for the competition may be secured from the league headquarters or from A. G. Spalding & Bros

GOOD GAME OF DUCKS PLAYED

An interesting and friendly practice match game of dolphins was rolled at the Oakland bowling alleys on Thirteenth street last night between Swenson and Sterns [illegible] and Howard and Riley on the [illegible] Swenson had a good average and Howard [illegible] Howard and Riley [illegible] the first game [illegible] Howard [illegible] the second game the [illegible] Sterns [illegible] Swenson and Sterns by nine pins

It was one of the best games played on these alleys for some time as the players were all in good form and bowled a fine game throughout, making the average scores made [illegible] The contest was a hard fought one from start to finish [illegible] Howard [illegible] Riley [illegible] Kelly's aspirations to the world's championship [illegible] Smith, and [illegible] that the latter's defeat was a complete [illegible] for Hugo Kastel the middleweight [illegible] being discussed.

Total Av

Swenson	86	91	96	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sterns	[illegible]	90	84	[illegible]	[illegible]

Total Av

Howard	92	86	8[illegible]	[illegible]	85
Riley	83	89	89	20	84

Good points is arguing in getting things in [illegible] for the proposed tournament to be held next spring and [illegible] to avoid [illegible] Yet the undertaking of the Oakland and Alameda [illegible] will [illegible] the boys of Piedmont [illegible] local [illegible] Elmhurst and [illegible]

MOTORDROME OPEN FOR TRYOUT TODAY

January 28 and 29 Are Dates Selected for Opening; Entry List Big.

The motorist will for the first time be able to spin around the new half-mile saucer speedway of the Oakland Motordrome today. The track is completed and the only work remaining uncompleted is the grand stand.

This work will be completed within ten days allowing ample time for preliminary trials for the army of drivers who will soon bend their way toward Oakland and northern California.

Invitations have been sent out to the automobile and motorcycle dealers of Oakland, San Francisco, San Jose and the neighboring towns.

January 28th and 29th are the final dates which have been set by the manager, Mr. Prince for his opening meet. It was originally his intention to open on the 21st. The aviation meet now in San Francisco precludes the advisability of holding the opening races on the last day named.

The National team of cars has already been shipped and the Cole team will follow this week. The Pope-Hartford will be here also within the next week. Upon its arrival, Fleming will commence preparations toward getting into shape for tryouts.

The Black Crow Company may send out their racing car and driver Gilmson. The Black Crow has performed splendidly in the races in which it has been entered during the year just closed. In the Elgin trophy race it covered 198 miles in 186 minutes, the fastest time ever recorded for a stock car listing at $1500.

The Stoddard-Dayton company are preparing three different models of their cars for racing. The only drawback toward their entry here will be inability to get them out in time. Work is being rushed with all possible speed and everything is being done to assure their appearance at the motordrome opening.

At the present time the following are the likely entries in the free-for-all race, the three Nationals, Nazarro's Fiat, De Palma in his Simplex, Hanshue in the Apperson Jack Rabbit, Soules in the Isotta, Fleming in the Pope Hartford, Dingley also in a Pope-Hartford, Strang in his Case and Tetlaff in the Santa Monica Locier.

In the small car race, there will be a Hupmobile Flanders, Model Q Maxwell, Ford and a Krit.

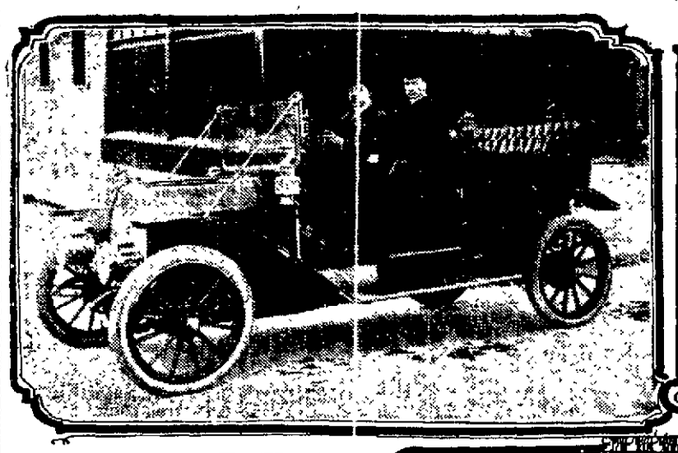
Negotiations are under way with Glen Curtiss for the appearance of his crew of aviator and machines as a special feature on Saturday the 28th, and Sunday the 29th. Definite arrangements with Curtiss, Manager Prince states, he will make during the coming week.

The motorcycle riders will start to arrive this week. Among the first to come are De Rossier, Balke, Seymour Graves, and Theo Samuelson. Each of these boys riding different machines as they do are bound to use every endeavor to outdo each other.

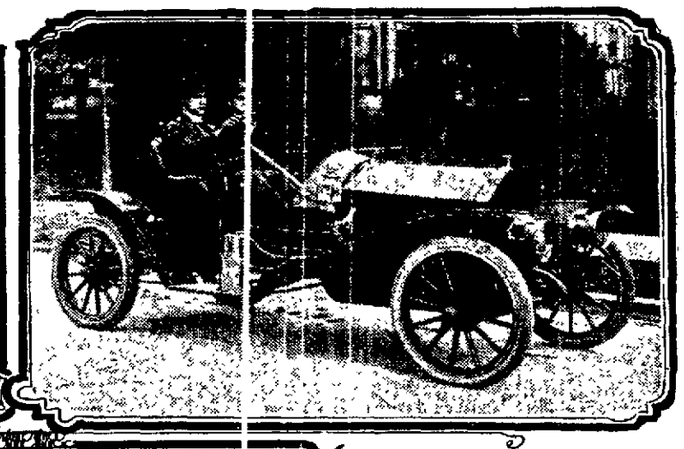
The amateur riders have been tuning up their machines for some time and a number of them will be seen now on the track.

Preparations have been made to handle the big crowd of motor enthusiasts which are expected out today. The runway leading up to the track is finished and the track itself has been cleared for action. Due precaution is to be taken to prevent accident and every effort will be made to safeguard the speedway.

F. G. BECKER at the wheel of the 1911 Stoddard-Dayton "30" which line he now represents here.



F. A. HOWE, factory superintendent of the Black Crow Manufacturing Company, and MR. H. B. Snyder in the new Black Crow Roadster.



BERKELEY TO HAVE VAUDEVILLE HOUSE

Theater to Cost $30,000 to Be Erected Before Midsummer in College Town.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—Plans are being drawn for a vaudeville theater building on the northeast corner of Haste street and Shattuck avenue. V. E. Morrill of Santa Rosa, father of Policeman Clarence Morrill of the local force, is to erect the theater and Kidder & McCullough are the contractors. The theater will cost $30,000 and will be placed on one of the big vaudeville circuits.

The building will be three stories in height. The seating capacity will be over 1000 and the stage will be one of the largest of any theater in the bay district.

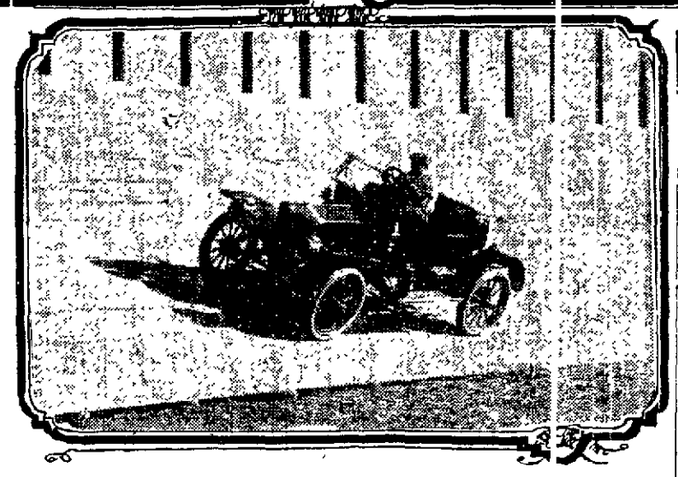
C. E. King, architect for the building, has not decided on any particular type of structure as yet, but is considering a mission effect. He plans an elaborate playhouse with several boxes and perhaps a balcony and dress circle. It is expected that the theater will open for business around the first of August.

Deliveries Made On Two Locomobiles

Among the recent sales made by S. S. Southworth, local representative of the Locomobile Company, are a 30-horsepower touring car to D. S. Loop of Alameda and a model of the same horsepower and style to E. H. O'Brien of Mill Valley.

Presentation Made to Bank Official

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—Walter Ellis, who resigned his position in the First National Bank in Oakland last week has been appointed assistant cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Hayward. On retiring from the Oakland bank, Ellis was presented with a gold signet ring in token of the esteem in which he is held by his fellow members in the bank.



The Maxwell Sportsman, Stephen McIver at the wheel, the first car driven on the motordrome.

WHOOPING UP FOR EL CAMINO SIERRA

Magnificent Highway Trails in the Shadow of Mt. Whitney.

Stretched out peacefully in the shadow of California's majestic peak, Mount Whitney, and trailing along through the counties of Mono and Inyo, is a highway, known by the beautifully expressive name, El Camino Sierra, which far surpasses anything in California from point of scenic beauty and attractiveness to the motorist. Literally translated, El Camino Sierra means "Highroad range of mountains," but, a more free translation of this combination of musical words means "mountain highway."

Late in the fall of 1910 El Camino Sierra became an ambitious project, for the residents of the counties of Inyo and Mono got together in a spirited manner, invited former Governor Gillett and Harbor Commissioner Dennison and some of their influential friends down there and with a whoop that resounded from Inyo to the Pacific, formally dedicated this magnificent highway. Now these enthusiasts of the eastern Sierras are at it again, backed up by a decidedly "live" organization know nas the Inyo Good Road Club, and are hot on the trail of everybody that wields the slightest influence, the object being to succeed in getting a good share of the $18,000,000 bond issue diverted to El Camino Sierra for its improvement.

HAVE MANY BOOSTERS.

Their argument is a most sound one and this is evidenced by the fact that already they have secured as their allies many of the local motor enthusiasts who have been waging for many moons the battle cry for good roads. Among these is Chester N. Weaver, general manager of the Studebaker Brothers Company of California, distributors of the Studebaker E-M-F and Flanders automobiles. Weaver, who is quite an explorer when it comes to discovering new tours for motorists, recently paid Inyo and Mono counties a visit at the solicitation of W. W. Watterson, one of the directors of the Inyo County Bank and a prominent business man of that portion of the State. Weaver was absent for several days and since his return has fairly bristled with enthusiasm over the project of El Camino Sierra. Discussing the issue a few days ago he said:

A BIG UNDERTAKING.

"El Camino Sierra is an ambitious proposition and deserves the support that the residents of Inyo and Mono counties are asking for it. Roughly outlined, the road will extend from Bridgeport, Mono county, to Independence, Inyo county, thence to Lakeside by way of Mojave. It will connect with both the Sonora pass and the Tioga pass roads. Thus it will form a direct connection with three county seats, harmonizing with the general scheme of the $18,000,000 bond issue for a State highway system.

"It is absolutely impossible to describe the grandeur of the eastern Sierras where this road lies. I have never seen such magnificent scenery in any portion of California. It passes even the awe-inspiring scenery of the famous Lake Tahoe road between Strawberry and the Summit. El Camino Sierra trails along in the shadow of Mt. Whitney and the average altitude of the mountain range along there is from 10,000 to 13,000 feet.

"The completion of El Camino Sierra would bring annually 10,000 motorists over the road. It would gain worldwide prominence in a short time and would carry with it other benefits that would require a volume to recount."

Aviation Opens New Field for the Dealer

According to George P. Moore, Pacific coast representative of Monogram oils, aeronautics as developed by the aeroplane is already opening up a particularly lucrative field to the motor accessory dealer. "This is noticeably so in the motor lubricant trade," said he. "Proper lubricating is essential to the best results from any motor engine and the hazards of flying make especially necessary those best results for aeroplane work. We are on this account particularly well pleased with the fact that a large number of prominent aviators are using Monogram oil."

NEW BLACK CROW MODELS RECEIVED

Racy Roadster Attracts Attention Because of Odd Finish.

The new models of the Black Crow cars were received during the past week by the Oakland Carriage and Implement Company during the past week. The style and finish of this particular model makes it one of the most attractive little cars of its type which have been seen in this section. The body is long and rakish, the gasoline tank, which is attached to the rear of the seats, is oval shaped and is set in a tilting position. The seats also are tilted. The combination of these two features, together with the general lines, makes the car very racy looking.

The body finish is orange color, striped with black, an odd and at the same time a pleasing color.

F. A. Howe, who for some time has been superintendent and master mechanic of the Black Crow factory, is now associated with Mr. Snyder of the Oakland Carriage and Implement Company. Howe is an old-time automobile expert and has acted in important capacities with the Shoemaker Automobile Company of Freeport, Ill., later with the Elkhart Motor Car Company of Elkhart, Ind., and still later with the Black Crow Company.

SAN FRANCISCO AUTO SHOW.

With many of the feature exhibits of the New York automobile show promised as displays for the coming San Francisco show, scheduled for February 4 to 11, the San Francisco Motor Club, under whose auspices the show is to be given, promises that the event will mark a unique place in local motor car history. To expedite their endeavors in getting these displays to San Francisco, as well as many additional Eastern exhibits the show committee realize that the special train provided by the Santa Fe will be of valuable assistance.

President H. M. Owens of the San Francisco Motor Club, in discussing prospects for the exposition, remarked: "We are going to pull off a show San Francisco will be proud of—with gasoline cars, electrics, steam cars, commercial vehicles and the biggest display of auto accessories ever seen at any show in San Francisco. The commercial end will also be bigger than at any previous local show. The club is planning to make Monday, February 6, Red Cross night, a memorable one in local automobile history. Thousands of tickets will be disposed of in advance for this occasion."

Motor Car Sales Are Better Than Ever

Speaking recently of the motor car trade situation, Harry A. Welthe of the Consolidated Motor Car Company, said: "In spite of all the prophesies of a quiet season the automobile business was never better than right now. As far as we are concerned this is well evidenced by the fact that we are marketing our Pope-Hartford cars right along in advance of shipments, and the factory to aid us in keeping somewhere near abreast of orders is sending more cars to San Francisco than ever before.

"Among our deliveries of 1911 cars are limousines to Mrs. Judge F. Henshaw, Dr. T. Bailey and Duncan McDuffie of Berkeley, seven-passenger touring cars to Mrs. Worth, A. Kinkead, C. B. Wells and police department of the city of Oakland, five-passenger four-door cars to S. L. Abbott, R. S. Moore, Baruch & Co., and W. E. Loydal of Sacramento and a pony tonneau to Jr. S. H. White of Visalia."

EAGLES ARE TO DANCE.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—The Eagles' drum corps will give a dance Tuesday night, January 10, in Encinal hall, when Sender's orchestra will furnish the music. The Eagles intend to make this dance one of their best and will start the new year's social work in the right manner.

AUTO SPEEDERS MUST BEWARE

Marshal of Hayward Publishes a Notice That He Will Arrest Offenders.

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—Under pressure of public opinion as expressed by members of the Hill and Valley Women's Club, town officials and many other citizens, Town Marshal Charles Schilling has, over his own signature, promised to arrest all automobile speeders who are found in Hayward violating the speed limit. His deputy, George Hooson, has begun a crusade against violators of the bicycle ordinance and the last few days has taken fifteen persons into custody for riding wheels on the sidewalks of the town. Marshal Schilling has caused the following warning to be printed and spread abroad for the edification and information of all who may be interested:

"From now on I give notice that all automobile drivers violating the speed limit and all bicycle and motorcyclists riding on the sidewalks of the town of Hayward will be arrested. No exception will be made. So take notice.

"CHAS. SCHILLING,
"Marshal."

Increased Activity Is Reported by Haynes Co.

The Haynes Auto Sales Company report a decided increase of activity following the holidays, promising the opening of an unusually prosperous spring trade. Among the most recent sales of Haynes cars are a five-passenger touring car to Mrs. Florence Eppinger and a roadster to Lansing K. Treels.

STANDARD EQUIPMENT

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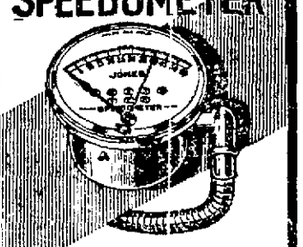

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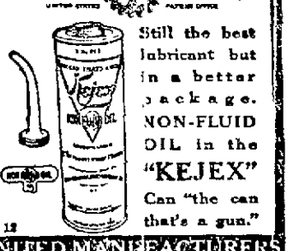

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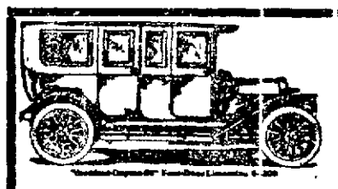

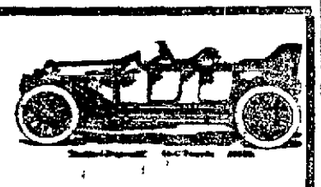

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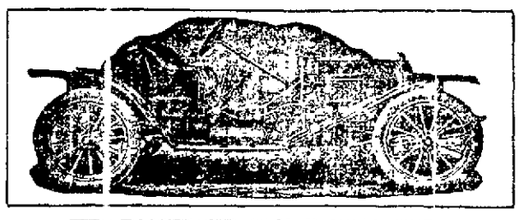

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GOSSIP OF STUDENTS AND RESIDENTS IN THE UNIVERSITY TOWN

AND ALAMEDA

HAPPENINGS OF DAY IN THE ISLAND CITY; SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

INDUCED TO PLACE SAVINGS WITH DREDGER CO.

C. A. Westenberg Retorts That Alleged Victim Is Doing the "Baby Act."

SAYS HE ENTHUSED OVER SCHEME AT FIRST

Girvin Declares He Is Poor Man With Nine Children to Care For.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—That stockholders, including many trusting friends of Rev. C. A. Westenberg in the bay cities, lost $150,020 in the United States Gold Dredging Company is the charge made tonight by Ernest A. Girvin, former pastor of the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene in this city, in addition to the allegations made in the suit which he filed in the superior court in Oakland today to recover $28,500 from Westenberg. This is the amount of which he claims to have been fleeced, along with the other friends of Westenberg, in the dredging venture entered upon three years ago.

Who the other victims were is not revealed by Girvin or Westenberg, but the former admitted that some of them were local friends of the former clergyman and promoter, who were allured by the dazzling stories of sudden riches told by the silver-tongued pulpiter.

Westenberg, who was a Methodist pastor in Santa Barbara before he became a financier, calls Girvin a baby, who cries when he loses his marbles in a trade, and wants them back again. And he adds that Girvin wants more marbles returned to him than he ever lost.

HAD BEEN CLOSE FRIENDS.

Church and business circles on both sides of the bay were stirred today by the charges made by Girvin against his former religious co-worker and business partner. The pair had been close friends for many years.

Girvin was for sixteen years a stenographic reporter for the supreme court of this state, resigning seven years ago to become pastor of the Church of the Nazarene in Berkeley, which he practically founded. Although he never attended a theological school or was ever licensed as a regular minister, he was ordained as a "local preacher" by Dr. P. F. Breese about fourteen years ago.

He remained as pastor of the Berkeley church until two years ago, when he became a reporter in Judge Hunt's court in San Francisco, turning over the position to his son a year ago to report a lengthy divorce case in Judge Coffey's court, a task at which he is still engaged.

HAS NINE CHILDREN.

"I am a poor man with nine children to support," said Girvin at his home, 1803 Berkeley way, this evening. "I was compelled to return to my old work as a court reporter on account of the financial plight in which I was left by Westenberg. Three years ago I was induced by his alluring representations to trade twenty-seven acres of citrus fruit land in San Bernardino county for shares of the dredger company stock. Westenberg represented that there was a clear title to the mining claims; that they would prove rich; that the length of the claims was five miles and that there was a machine capable of taking out 4000 cubic yards of earth a day. I found that all the representations were false. The property of the company is now practically worthless, while the land which I traded for it is now worth more than $70,000.

"It may sound inconsistent, but I have no strong feelings against Westenberg. He is a victim of money-madness. I gave him every opportunity to restore to me just what he had taken away by misrepresentation. It was only this morning that I had the last word with him about settling, and he gave me a final refusal.

RELUCTANT TO SUE.

"I want it understood that I was reluctant to bring this action and did not do so until I had exhausted every effort to obtain just treatment. Westenberg was a sincere worker in the ministry, and I am sorry to see him act as he has in financial matters.

"Westenberg is the only one who has made anything out of this company. Myself and others of his friends have lost a total of $150,000. He bought stock in the company from his associates at a low figure and sold at a substantial profit. The company was started by other parties, to operate on the Sacramento river, just above Redding three years ago, and Westenberg was enlisted as a money raiser."

Said Westenberg at his home, 2811 Benvenue street, tonight:

"Before Girvin went in this venture he knew every detail of it. He bounded me until I exchanged stock for his mortgaged property, which other stockholders would not take. He visited the dredging grounds and was enthusiastic. He was elected secretary, and was also a director. He still holds the latter position. About two years ago he wanted his land back, acting like a baby who is not satisfied after having traded his marbles. After a suit which he brought in San Bernardino county for a decision had been withdrawn by him, he made an effort to have the price of the mining stock doubled. He recovered his enthusiasm. Then, during a period of hard times, he got cold feet again. I heard of him having told one of the directors that I did not give him his property back I would expose me.

HIS ATTITUDE.

"My attitude in the matter has been: Millions for defense, but not one cent for tribute.'

"I loaned the company at one time $7000 for improvement work. The dredger is in good condition and I think it may yet win out in the undertaking."

Westenberg would not say what the value of the property was, except that it was worth what its owners made it worth. Neither would he say that he had lost anything in the venture.

Westenberg is a leader in the Berkeley Young Men's Christian Association, and is known as a capital storyteller and mimic. His magnetism as a public speaker and conversationalist has made his personality attractive in church social and business life.

DRIFTED INTO BUSINESS.

After leaving the pastorate of the Methodist church in Santa Barbara, he gradually drifted into business. But before becoming known in financial circles, he was superintendent of the Boys' and Girls' Aid society of San Francisco. He is now managing director of the Chipas Rubber Plantation company, and following his name and title of broker, in the city directory, appear the names of the United States Gold Dredging company and the Consolidated Gold Dredging company of Nevada, with which he is connected. His offices are in the First National Bank building, in this city. His present religious activity is the teaching of a Bible class in the College avenue Methodist church.

J. C. Westenberg, a brother of the former pastor, is superintendent of the Whosoever Will mission in Oakland and San Francisco.

Westenberg's attorney is Thomas Dozier, who was counsel for Abraham Ruef. Hilton S. Hamilton of Oakland and Edward Martin of Berkeley are the legal representatives of Girvin.

ONE RETIRED PASTOR ACCUSES ANOTHER OF DEFRAUDING HIM

At the top, REV. ERNEST GIRVIN, the alleged victim, and below is REV. C. A. WESTENBERG.

SOCIAL EVENTS TAKE HAYWARD

Hospitable People of Neighboring Town Are Enjoying Entertainment.

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—The Jones family home in the Castro Valley was the scene of an enjoyable party Thursday night when a large number of the younger set were in attendance and spent several hours in dancing. Refreshments were served at the close of the festivities. Among those present were: The Misses Mero and Julia Winton, Esther, Hazel and Camilla King, Ruth Long, Lydia Long, Emelie Parsons, Lorraine and Alma Hoare, Marie and Christine Madison, Emilie Jensen, Lorraine Ramage, Leona Smith, Grace Waltmann, Helen Angus, Winnifred Jones, Marjorie Jones; Messrs. Charles Fent, Bedford Boyes, of Berkeley, Robert King, Clinton King, Alfred Parsons, Elbert Thurman, Russell Foot, Edmund Jensen, Howard Roemer, Herbert Cooper, Drummond Browning, Sydney Jones, Arthur Jones, Rupel Jones.

The 500 Club met with Mrs. W. T. Knightly Tuesday afternoon. The first prize was won by Miss Lena Harder and the consolation by Mrs. W. W. Haley, the guest of the club. The next meeting, two weeks hence, will be with Miss Lizie Neudeck at 1278 California street, San Francisco.

Violet Tea will be served at the parlors of the Methodist Church next week, Friday, January 13, in the evening.

EAGLES TO INSTALL OFFICERS.

Eden Aerie of Eagles has arranged for a grand time next Wednesday evening when the newly elected officers are to be impressively installed by the Alameda Aerie team, which will be accompanied by its crack drum corps and a large delegation, headed by State Vice-President Tom Carpenter. A banquet is to be served by Jerry Cooper.

Mrs. Fred E. Allen will be hostess when Probation Officer Burns of Oakland comes to Hayward to address the members of the Hill and Valley Club January 16. All the matrons of the community are expected to be in attendance to listen to Mr. Burns' advice as to how to bring up children.

At the concert which is announced to be given next Friday evening in Native Sons' Hall by Company H, California National Guard, the members of all those orders that assisted at the militiamen's indoor fair will be free guests.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church on Wednesday afternoon elected the following officers: Mrs. L. Linekin, president; Mrs. H. J. Kennard, vice-president; Mrs. H. C. Newhall, treasurer; Mrs. J. M. Madison, secretary. There will be a "Hard Times Dance" given by Serpa's Union Band at the I. D. E. S. hall on the evening of Saturday, January 28, 1911.

The Frauenverein will meet next Wednesday afternoon, January 11, at the home of Mrs. Anna May of A street.

The Tea Club will meet with Mrs. G. E. Reynolds next Wednesday afternoon.

Goes Duck Hunting; Not Among Missing

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7. — John D. Reyes, the young Mexican who mysteriously disappeared from his residence at 1013 Mound street, in this city, Wednesday, returned this morning and informed his mother that he had been visiting a friend. No reason he left early was to go duck hunting and he had to get an early start.

'COBWEB PALACE' PICTURES FOUND

Alameda Official Has Set of Photographs of Former Famous Resort.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—City Treasurer Oswald Lubbock this morning received several photographs of rare historical interest, as they are the only ones left of the old North Beach resort in San Francisco, known as "The Cobweb Palace," all the others being destroyed in the fire of 1906.

"The photographs are of especial interest to Treasurer Lubbock as his uncle, the late Abraham Warner, was proprietor of the Cobweb Palace, which he started in 1856. Lubbock said that many times he had gone out on the back porch, raised a trap in to floor and caught fish from the bay, for that was in the days before the land was filled in.

VALUED PHOTOGRAPHS.

"The photographs in Lubbock's possession were made shortly after the place was opened by Warner and were presented to the treasurer by a pioneer photographer's son who carried on his father's business after his death.

"In pioneer days the Cobweb Palace and North Beach were the principal pleasure resorts of San Francisco and it was there that Lubbock met so many men who were afterward destined to become political and commercial powers in the state.

"The majority of the photographs show the exterior and interior of the Cobweb Palace, which obtained its name from the numerous festoons of cobwebs that hung from the ceiling and draped the walls. The place was originally an old Spanish dwelling, which had been unoccupied for several years.

DRAPED WITH COBWEBS.

Warner went in one day and noticed that the ceiling and walls were draped with cobwebs. He immediately conceived the notion of turning it into an unique resort, which he did. It was famous all over the state and but few old residents of the bay cities failed to visit North Beach and the Cobweb Palace on Sundays.

Another picture in the set that is of great interest is a street scene in North Beach in 1858, the high silk hats of the men and the queer looking dresses of the women contrasting strangely with the costumes of the present day.

Warner died some ten years ago and the place was torn down and several modern flats erected on its site. When Golden Gate Park was opened, the people stopped going to North Beach.

Waterfront Company To Abate Nuisance

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7. — The threat of Dr. Stidham, health officer of the city, to issue a bench warrant for the Oakland Waterfront Company because its agent, E. C. Sessions, failed to answer to a complaint charging the company with maintaining a nuisance, a stagnant pond, near Webster street, brought the company to terms this morning, for a member of the company communicated with Dr. Stidham, who informed him that the matter was now in the hands of the local Board of Health. The company promises to abate the nuisance.

"The waterfront company must fill in the pond or take the consequences," said Dr. Stidham, "for the spot is a menace to the public health and must be suppressed. The rights of the city will be maintained in this matter for we cannot afford to risk an epidemic of sickness through the failure of a corporation to obey the health laws."

IMPROVEMENT CLUB ON TRAIL OF AUTOISTS

Berkeley Organization Aids City Officers in Suppressing Speed Maniacs

DEMAND MADE FOR EFFECTIVE ORDINANCE

Effort Will Be Made to Have the Limit Placed at Six Miles.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—North Grove Improvement Club at its meeting last night expressed gratification over the manner in which its campaign against auto speeding is being taken up by the City Council, citizens and the press. While giving approval to the action of the City Council, fear was expressed that the ordinance might be too tame and lacking in proper provisions to secure rigid enforcement. It was pointed out that in the tendency of the judiciary to be too lenient with offenders, much of the incentive of police officers to make arrests was taken away.

The club is determined that an effective ordinance shall be adopted that will make it obligatory upon police officers and judges to do their duty without fear or favor, and to secure this end have availed themselves of the services of an attorney. William Critchfield of North Berkeley, who has been authorized to frame an ordinance that will meet the ideas of the club and to fight the matter to a finish, if necessary.

SIX MILES AN HOUR.

The club wants a speed limit of ten miles an hour to be reduced to six miles within the fire limits and when rounding corners and crossing car tracks, or when passing cars that are stopping to discharge passengers. It wants autos to sound an alarm and slacken speed whenever passing near vehicles or pedestrians, never to pass nearer to a street car than six feet, and to take all possible precautions against injury to others. It wants drivers of autos to be competent, over twenty-one years of age, and to be thoroughly informed that the sounding of an alarm does not give right of way, or relieve of responsibility.

EYESORE.

The action of the City Council in remodeling an old building to the city hall and placing it at the end of one of the most prominent streets in Berkeley, and fronting upon another, for use as a fire-house, was most vigorously condemned by the club, and the secretary was authorized to write in protest.

The matter of too many city employes and too high salaries for assistants was discussed, and this, as well as the unnecessary method of securing supplies for the various departments without buying by wholesale quantities and advertised bids was laid over for action until more data can be obtained. It was shown also that the repairs and painting upon schoolhouses instead of being submitted for bids as provided for by the charter has been done by the employes of a city appointee.

The club expressed its appreciation of the action of the Longfellow Improvement Club in coming to its assistance in the matter of preserving building by doing away with all fees to the city or the gas, light and water companies, and instructed the secretary to request the City Council to pass such ordinances as would restore the present rates, and also to ask that the minimum rate for water meters be one dollar per month.

It was shown that the burden of the present meter rate falls upon tenants and poor people who use less than the limit, that users in large quantities are not affected and that the present rate is virtually a bribe to the city, which, in consideration of it, secured its water at reduced rates. The water secured at these rates is used to sprinkle in front of vacant lots and property of people using wells who thereby secure benefits to which they are not entitled and for which users of meters are taxed to supply.

The club re-elected its present officers, received three new members, and decided to hold a public entertainment in the near future.

ALTA MIRA CLUB PLANS LUNCHEON

San Leandro Woman's Organization to Hold Third Annual Affair.

SAN LEANDRO, Jan. 7.—The third annual luncheon of the Alta Mira Club is to be given Monday, when the guests of honor will be Mrs. Anna Lillie Barry, Mrs. Lillie Swain Stemmons, Mrs. C. C. Crane, and Mrs. J. A. Park, president of the Hill and Valley Club of Hayward. Mrs. Barry will be the speaker of the day. Mrs. Stemmons will give a reading. This will be followed by music which will be announced later.

For the club meeting to be held Monday, January 23, a musical and literary program has been arranged, and the members are all looking forward to this event with unusual interest.

PLIGHT TROTH

A marriage ceremony was performed at St. Leander's Church Wednesday by Rev. Father Silva. The contracting parties were Joaquin L. Lawrence and Rosie T. Vargas. After a brief honeymoon they will make their home in San Leandro.

C. L. Best, president of the C. L. Best Gas Traction Company, left yesterday on a business, as well as a pleasure trip, to New York and Buffalo. He is accompanied by his wife. While in New York they will attend the motor boat exhibition. Several weeks will be consumed in the trip.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

Mrs. Frank Lawrence, of Hanford, is visiting Mrs. J. M. Bettencourt, of this place.

Boyd Harold, of Oakland, was here Wednesday and paid his respects to old time friends.

Mrs. Brown and Miss Thurston will entertain at the home of Mrs. Brown, on Hayward avenue Wednesday afternoon, January 18, from 2 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Mamie F. Kane is paying a visit in Napa.

The missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. McCoy, 203 Clark street, Wednesday afternoon next.

Celebrate Wedding of George Washington

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—The one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the wedding of George Washington and Martha Curtis was celebrated yesterday afternoon by Berkeley Hills chapter, D. A. R., by the holding of the annual historical day in the chapter. The affair was held at the home of the chapter historian, Mrs. Ralph S. Minor, on Parker street, and was attended by members of Berkeley Hills chapter and a few guests.

An interesting historical program was presented. A paper on the "Courtship and Marriage of the Washingtons" was read by the hostess, Mrs. Minor, and Mrs. Leigh Richmond Smith, regent of the chapter, gave the history of Mount Vernon up to date, with reminiscences of a personal visit. Mrs. C. L. Harwood Brown, regent of California chapter and the guest of Mrs. Smith, read a paper on Mary Washington, the mother of George Washington. Musical numbers were contributed by Miss Angell, a house guest of the hostess, and Mrs. Joseph O'Hara of San Francisco. Mrs. Minor was assisted in receiving by Miss Angell, Mrs. Chittenden and Miss O'Connor. Refreshments were served and the home was decorated with American flags.

BERKELEY COUPLE ELOPE AND WED AT SAN RAFAEL

BERKELEY, Jan. 7. — Lovers since their grammar school days, pretty Lydia M. Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Crowley Rodgers of South Berkeley, and Thomas M. Springer of Oakland, slipped away to San Rafael on the last day in the old year and were married by Rev. L. T. White. The parents of neither knew of the elopement at the time and the groom admitted tonight that neither family had yet learned of the wedding.

Springer returned to his home, 3217 Boise avenue, Oakland, and his bride returned to the home of her parents in South Berkeley.

The groom said tonight:

"We just thought we would be married quietly, so that should opposition to the match arise it would make no difference. Nobody in either family yet knows of the marriage, but my grandmother. I don't know what the parents of the young lady will say when the secret is out, but it doesn't matter. I expect to leave here in a week or so, probably going to San Francisco, and I am not going alone."

Springer is a son of M. W. Springer, an old time member of the printing craft. Crowley Rodgers, father of the bride, is a retired mining man.

Miss Rodgers gave her age, in obtaining a marriage license, as 19, and Springer gave his as 21.

STRINGENT RULES FOR AUTOS URGED

Mayor Noy of Alameda to Ask Council to Pass New Ordinance.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—"I am going to advocate a more stringent automobile and motorcycle law and will ask the city council to pass an ordinance making motorcycles and automobiles keep on the right side of the street, as they do in Oakland," said Mayor Noy today in discussing the many deaths caused recently by reckless chauffeurs.

The Mayor and Colonel E. B. Bullock will bring the matter before the council at an early meeting for both firmly believe that the present auto and motorcycle ordinance is far too lenient with speed-burners and think the auto traffic should be regulated still further by law.

DEPRECATES SPEEDING.

"I have frequently seen motorcycles go around a corner in the business district here and take a sharp turn. If a man or a woman was crossing the street at that corner they would be in grave danger of being badly injured or killed, all through the carelessness of the driver.

"We cannot afford to have any more accidents, for the life and limbs of our citizens are precious, so I am going to request the council to pass an ordinance making automobiles and motorcycles slow down when turning a corner and also to make them take the turn on the further side of the street. I also wish incorporated in this ordinance a provision making all self-propelled vehicles use the right side of the street only.

URGES STRINGENT LAW.

"Another thing that should be regulated by law is the speed and manner with which automobiles and motorcycles pass street cars when passengers are getting on and off. There is another source of danger that should be taken care of by ordinance. I have frequently observed autos on the Webster street road coming along on the wrong side of the street and accidents are bound to occur when conditions like this exist. With an ordinance compelling autos to keep to the right this danger would be obviated."

St. Augustine's Church to Be Formally Dedicted

BERKELEY, Jan. 7. — With Bishop P. J. O'Connell and forty priests of the bay region officiating the new St. Augustine's church, at Dana street and Alcatraz avenue, will be formerly dedicated tomorrow. Services have been held in the edifice for the past year.

The ceremonies will consist of a processional about the exterior of the building, the visiting of the stations within the church, the blessing of the structure and a high mass at 10:30 o'clock. This mass will be celebrated by Father Serz of St. Patrick's seminary, assisted by Father Donald McKinnon, Father McLaughlin and Father Cantrell.

Dedicatory sermons will be preached by Bishop P. J. O'Connell and Father Harvey of St. Patrick's seminary.

Among the prominent pastors who will be present are:

Father J. J. Cochrane, secretary to the archbishop; Father Cummings, chancellor of the diocese of San Francisco; Fathers P. C. York, Philip O'Ryan, Martin Ryan, Lawrence Serda, F. X. Morrison, Lynch, McMolley, Dempsey, Kearney and Kane.

HAYWARD NOTES

HAYWARD, Jan. 7.—Miss Annie Young, of New York, was a Hayward visitor the first part of the week.

Mrs. Ida Small and mother Mrs. E. F. Kelsey of Berkeley, spent last Thursday in Hayward.

Thomas B. Russell departed Friday by water for a business trip to Oregon.

Miss Mabel Harden will hereafter make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ramage of Oakland and attend the High School in that city.

Miss Mildred Maurer and Russell Bacon, of Alameda, are visiting Mrs. J. M. Madison.

Mrs. Simpson has again returned to Hayward after an absence of about two months.

Mrs. Hayes of Oakland, spent Thursday with Captain and Mrs. Borree.

Mrs. Mae Stephens is visiting friends in Healdsburg.

Miss Vera Robinson has gone to Ceres, Stanislaus county on a few weeks visit to friends.

Frank and Joseph Mayers, of Newman, are visiting with their mother on Chestnut street.

Postmaster A. Bradford and family have removed to their pretty new home on the boulevard near A street.

W. E. Proctor has returned from his trip to Sutter Creek.

Alexander Mast, father of Mrs. A. J. Powell, is seriously ill with heart trouble.

John F. Lewis, of Castro Valley, is recovering from his recent severe illness.

William Busch, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Busch, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. L. C. Spangler, of San Francisco.

John E. Geary was re-appointed a deputy coroner of Alameda county by Coroner Tisdale last week to the satisfaction of the community.

Miss Shirley Perry departed the first of the week for Placerville where she teaches school.

Oscar Lillibridge, formerly of this city and now of San Rafael, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. L. Hanschildt and daughter, Mrs. J. A. Collins, went to Pleasanton Friday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. Schween, a pioneer resident of this valley.

TWO-SCORE PAIRS OF SHOES STOLEN

Burglars Loot Alameda Store and Carry Off Large Booty.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—Burglars entered Rhodes' shoe store on Park street, some time early this morning, through a back window, which they forced, and made way with 42 pairs of fine shoes, valued at $165. The robbery was discovered by Patrolman Rogers. He reported it to police headquarters.

The burglars evidently had a wagon in waiting to carry away their plunder and worked with the greatest care for all of the shoes stolen were selected from among the finest in the store.

It is believed that the thieves had the wagon near by and must have made several trips to load it with their plunder. The patrolmen on the beat were evidently closely watched as none of them heard anything suspicious in the store during the night or nearly hours of the morning.

Detectives William Wahmuth and George Brown are working on the case, which is particularly baffling as there were no marks on the shoes by which they could be identified.

BUDGET OF NEWS FROM RICHMOND

Mrs. McCabe Entertains Woman's Club of the Point; Personal Notes.

POINT RICHMOND, Jan. 7.—Mrs. J. B. McCabe, assisted by Mrs. E. J. McCutcheon, entertained Eschscholtzia Club Thursday afternoon at her Richmond avenue home. Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock. Their guests were Mrs. P. B. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. T. T. Crenshaw, Mrs. William Webb, Mrs. S. Oppenheim, Mrs. W. S. Runyon, Mrs. E. H. McHugh, Mrs. Frank Stults, Mrs. J. Reposa, Mrs. David Hopkins, Mrs. H. Rockwood, Mrs. C. C. Kennedy.

Popular Johnnie Garvin, who has won fame here by his devotion to baseball, and his efforts in promoting the matched games last year among the employes of the Standard oil plant, hied away to Sacramento Wednesday, and thereafter he will have to ask Mrs. Garvin about attending the ball games. The bride was Mrs. Knight, a beautiful and accomplished lady, well known in this city, and a sister of Councilman John Harriett.

C. E. Niedeker and family have taken the handsome bungalow recently vacated by Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Lucas on College avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas are now at home in their elegant flat in the new Lucas block on Washington avenue.

The local plant of the Pacific Porcelainware company is busy making another addition and will at once erect a new frame building 36 feet by 56, to be known as the tank house.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gerlach, who have been visiting at Los Angeles and other points in the south have returned home.

Hugh Frazer, a civil engineer from Portland, is spending several days in Richmond with D. A. Burns.

CITY IS READY TO FURNISH CURRENT

Alameda Finds Way to Raise $5000 for Power Lines to Bridges.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7. — The power to operate the drawbridges across the Inland canal at Park and High streets and at Fruitvale avenue will be furnished by the city, according to its promise that if the government would repair the bridges and the county board of supervisors provide men to operate them, this city would furnish the power.

While the $5000 necessary for the installation of poles and wires to carry the current to the bridges is rather a large sum to unexpectedly raise, Mayor Noy, Colonel E. B. Bullock and the members of the finance committee have made arrangements to raise the money and to carry out the promise of the city without it costing the taxpayers one cent.

This statement was made by Colonel Bullock this morning, who said that the current would be furnished and that the finance committee had made all arrangements to provide the funds for the installation of poles and wires to carry the current to the bridges.

Laymen to Be Church Speakers

BERKELEY, Jan. 7. "Christ and Present Day Problems" is the general theme to be discussed by business and professional men at the Sunday evening meetings under the auspices of the Men's Brotherhood of the College Avenue Methodist church.

Tomorrow evening the speaker will be Dr. W. W. Curtis, president of the University of the Pacific, his subject will be: "Christ and Education."

A. W. Naylor will preside at the meeting on the evening of Sunday, January 15. Addresses will be made by Chief of Police Vollmer, Councilman W. F. McClure, and Arthur Arlett, the theme being, "Christ and the City."

Secretary McCoy of the San Francisco Y. M. C. A. will speak at the meeting on Sunday evening, January 22, on "Christ and the Young Man," and Captain Petersen, chief of the Oakland detective force, will talk on "Christ and the Criminal," at the last meeting Sunday evening, January 29.

Man Sues Estate for Death of Son

REDWOOD CITY, Jan. 7. — The Mary A. Lee estate was today sued for $40,000 damages by Greenleaf A. Haskell of San Mateo for the death of his seven-year-old son, Davies, who while at play was fatally injured when a gate at Metz Hotel grounds fell upon him. The hotel grounds are owned by the estate.

ANTI-VACCINATION LEAGUE IN SESSION

Dr. Snow, Head of State Board of Health, Addresses Body.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—The Anti-Compulsory Vaccination League of the State of California, held a joint meeting last night with the representative of the State Board of Health, when Dr. William F. Snow, secretary of the State Board, was present to explain his attitude in the matter of compulsory vaccination. Hugh Craig acted as chairman and George Gelder as secretary of the meeting.

After explaining the position of the Anti-Compulsory Vaccinationists, Craig called upon Dr. Snow, who said he believed that everyone had a right to his honest opinion. He said that he has had both pleasant and unpleasant experiences in the matter of vaccination, but that nothing could be said that would change his opinion as to the efficacy of vaccination.

"Physicians, as a rule," said Dr. Snow, "do not study the history of medicine. Vaccination may be divided into two parts, one a question of science and the other that of administration. The enforcing of the law has caused a great deal of hardship and suffering and consequently much friction. Minnesota has given up the compulsory part of vaccination. Small-pox is not very prevalent at present, but there are many other diseases attacking our people."

FROM THE AGES.

Dr. Charles G. Kuhlman, of San Francisco, also an invited guest, gave an interesting lecture on the practice, called vaccination. He claimed that it is a practice brought down from the dark ages, when superstition, fetichism, barbarism and ignorance prevailed. He further showed that the world's greatest authorities and scientists were opposed to vaccination and particularly compulsory. Dr. Kuhlman said that "compulsory vaccination is both unlawful, unjust and a cruel and unusual punishment. Vaccinations not supported by science and therefore cannot be upheld in law or justice, because the law deals with truths and facts and that which is not truth or a fact has no place in law or justice." Dr. Kuhlman showed thousands of authorities from all over the world to support his claims. Dr. Snow did not dispute Dr. Kuhlman's contentions.

MAKES ADMISSIONS.

When asked, Dr. Snow said of that an organization of health officials was the only body of men who are interested in having compulsory vaccination on our statute books, and that Dr. Martinez, one time secretary of the State Board of Health, introduced the present compulsory vaccination law.

Dr. Snow proposed a new law to make it a crime for non-compliance with the regard to vaccination. He said that it would be a little more than the present law, which however, does not make non-compliance a crime.

It provided first, that all persons employed in and about the schools and every child going to school must be vaccinated, unless, second, they can establish before some physician, or board, if the person needs a conscientious objection. However in view of the fact that one case of small-pox would be an epidemic, whether it existed in the body of a Japanese, Chinese or any other person, in the city, and that therefore all unvaccinated children would be deprived of all school rights, it was decided to fight the present Compulsory law and make no compromise.

FRUITVALE SEES PROGRESS AHEAD

Indications Point to Healthy Growth and General Prosperity This Year.

FRUITVALE, Jan. 7. Since the holiday season closed new building and other interests in this section of the city have taken a brisk tone, which indicates, it is generally believed, a year of great progress and prosperity. Among new structures now in course of erection in Fruitvale district is a factory for the California Fruit and Syrup Company, at the northwest corner of Fortysecond avenue and the Southern Pacific railway tracks. It is to cost $3200. A. T. Spence is the contractor.

Adamson and Isaacson are constructing a two-story, seven-room dwelling on the south side of East Eighteenth street, 125 feet west of Fruitvale avenue, at a cost of $5000.

Stockholders of the Bank of Fruitvale have been notified that a meeting will be held at the bank on January 11 at 3:30 p. m. to determine whether the capital stock of the bank shall be increased from $25,000 to $50,000.

Mrs. Reese of Livermore, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Denker, at her home on Fifty-second avenue, Linda Park.

Arrangements have been completed for a whist party to be given in St. Elizabeth's hall, Foxy avenue, on next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Fruitvale Relief Corps.

Fruitvale Aerie No. 1275, Eagles, speeded out the President J. C. Holland Wednesday night by presenting him with a beautiful jewel fashioned in the highest style of the goldsmith's art and valued at $500. The installation of the new officers of the aerie the same evening was followed by a fine banquet spread in their honor. The grand officers of the order in California were present.

Veterans and Relief Corps Install Officers

BERKELEY, Jan. 7. Lookout Mountain Post No. 88, G. A. R., and the Women's Relief Corps No. 52, held a joint installation last night at which Past Commander Alfred Colwell installed the officers of the post, and Mrs. Georgia Hodgeman, department officer, assisted by Mrs. Vira Sutton. Members of the various posts around the bay visited the local order at the meeting, and an enjoyable time was reported by those present. Comrade Steele, patriotic instructor of New Jersey, delivered a pleasing address.

Lookout Mountain Post installed the following officers: Commander, E. A. Mayo; senior vice-commander, Joseph Carey; junior vice-commander, Frank Stuart; surgeon, Albert Shepherd; chaplain, W. M. Thornsberry; representative to Department Council, Mrs. Mary Whitney; sergeant, Charles H. Berry; officer of the guard, John Wallace; sergeant major, Joseph Cooper; adjutant, Luther J. Berry Wyman.

The new officers of the Relief Corps are: President, Eva C. Dunham; senior vice-president, Alline Nesbett; junior vice-president, Margaret Wiseman; secretary, Leah S. Berry; treasurer, Esther Chrysler; chaplain, Carrie C. Hoyt; conductor, Mary Cunningham; assistant conductor, Clara Mulgrew; guard, Theodora Pfaff; assistant guard, Miranda Rittenhouse; patriotic instructor, Lucy B. Bailey; press correspondent, Martha Kent; musician, Stella Hastings; color bearers, Mrs. Nelson, Jessie Collins, Ethel D. Avery, Bessie Hearst.

Amendment Will Reduce Taxes

BERKELEY, Jan. 7 — City Assessor Harry J. Squires declares a saving to Berkeleyans in the tax rate of approximately 20 cents may be expected on account of the adoption of constitutional amendment No. 1 at the last election. The announcement follows a trip made by Squires to Sacramento yesterday to meet the newly elected board of equalization in a discussion of the levying of assessments under the new law. Squires was the only assessor present.

WOOL GROWERS ASK PROTECTION FROM IMPORTS

Resolution Affirms Belief in the American System of Protection.

EXPLAINS WHAT IS NEEDED IN TARIFF

Portland Convention Takes Up Many Questions of Importance.

PORTLAND, Ore. Jan 7—The principal resolution submitted for adoption t the National Wool Growers convention by the resolutions committee is the one affecting the tariff The committee favors presenting a united front by the manufacturers and growers in defense of the present schedule The resolution says

We reaffirm our belief in the American system of protection and unqualifiedly endorse the application of its principles as embodied in the present arrangement of schedule K as applicable to the wool duties and recognize that every time departure has been made from the principles therein contained serious disaster has befallen the industry of wool growing The wool growers need and deserve protective duties equal with the manufacturers of wool

FEEL COMPETITION

"Both classes feel the competition of the cheap labor of foreign countries and both are dependent upon the tariff for their prosperity and indeed for the existence and we call upon our senators and representatives in Congress to present a united front against foreign invasion of our markets and resist to the utmost all attacks of vicious doctrines upon the protection that shields this national industry

Pending the investigation of the tariff board appointed by President Taft this legislation should cease until such time as the findings of the board are reported We commend and heartily support the work being done by the American tariff commission association"

For his part in drafting schedule K the report recommends that Senator Warren of Wyoming be enrolled with those grand champions of the wool growing industry Morrison and Mckinley and Dingley

The report recommends a resolution favoring the appointment of a committee to represent the association in matters pertaining to tariff legislation, the committee also to collect and compile data on the cost of producing wool and to submit it to the tariff board and in general to submit information to the tariff board and legislative committees

FOREST SERVICE

The report says that it appears that the forest service is desirous of improving grazing conditions for the sheep raiser and a committee is advocated which shall have for its object the investigation and criticisms on the forest service and to confer with the secretary of agriculture and foresters before the next grazing season opens with a view to adjusting any differences

The report opposes surrender by Congress of the power to create forest reserves and the conferring of this power on the President

The bill now before Congress establishing a maximum speed limit law of fifteen miles an hour in transporting stock is favored and the work of Dr William Stillman president of the American Humane society in his efforts to secure his humane legislation is endorsed

The report recommends that the executive committee be instructed to investigate the present freight rates sheep wool and mohair and where they are found to be unreasonably high report the same to the interstate commerce commission Maintenance of the bureau of animal industry in Washington and the establishment by the department of quarantine of Bethesda Md are heartily endorsed

The report closes with tender of thanks to the fraternal and fraternal organizations which have made the stay of the delegates in Portland a continuous pleasure

Refuse to Dissolve Livestock Exchange

TOPEKA Kas Jan 7 The supreme court refused today to dissolve the Topeka Live Stock Exchange on the ground that it was a trust The court holds that the exchange must discontinue the practice of boycotting members outside the exchange The action of the district court of Wyandotte county dissolving the exchange and imposing a fine of $5000 was brought by the attorney general

Chinese to Combat American Bankers

HANKOW China Jan 7—Chinese bankers of this city are organizing a federation and will meet the purpose of resisting control by foreign Chinese banks American banks are now represented during the visit here of a delegation of American business men from the chambers of commerce of the Pacific Coast The opponents of the project contend that they see in it only another evidence of foreign encroachment

Free Rheumatism Cure

A Home Cure Will Be Given FREE By One Who Had It

In the spring of 1893 I was attacked by muscular and inflammatory rheumatism I suffered as only those who have known for over three years tried doctors and patent medicines but got no relief was then told by a friend to try what proved to be the best remedy I ever used and the only one that ever helped me permanently after using it a few days I was entirely relieved of pain and have since had no return of the disease I will send a free trial of this precious remedy by mail postpaid, to any sufferer who writes for it Just send me the coupon below and mail it to me today

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Jackson's holds exclusive Alameda county agency for Globe-Wernicke Elastic Book Cases.

Lace curtain sale---no housekeeper should miss this week at Jackson's

Most people are familiar with our Lace Curtain Sales. The values are always extraordinary in addition to the usual values. We now ask you to come to a big all daylight steam-heated store, where it's a pleasure to shop.

65c
Pair—Lot 1. Nottinghams
About 500 pairs of these in white and Arabian, good quality Nottingham Curtains, large variety of patterns, double thread overlocked edges, 2½ and 3 yards long, 36 to 40 inches wide
On sale this week 65c pair

95c
Pair—Lot 2. Hemstitched
100 pairs of these, hemstitched Scrim Curtains, made from good even thread scrim, 2½ yards long, 40 inches wide
On sale this week 95c pair

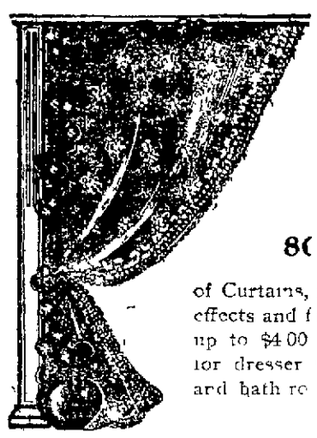
$1.00
Pair—Lot 3. Nottinghams
450 pairs in this lot a mighty value for a dollar white and Arabian Nottinghams, new patterns curtains that launder well, overlocked edges, 45 to 50 inches wide, full 3 yards long
On sale this week $1.00 pair

$1.50
Pair—Lot 4. Madras Weave
320 pairs of these pretty Nottingham Curtains white or Arabian, excellent panel design, conventional and floral patterns heavy double thread, large assortment to select from, regulation length 50 to 54 inches wide
On sale this week $1 50 pair

$1.75
Pair—Lot 5. Etamine
Only 50 pairs of these Etamine Curtains very fine quality, champagne colors, made from the finest yarn, soft and pretty adapted for any room in the house 2½ yards long, 40 inches wide
On sale while they last $1 75 pair

$1.95
Pair—Lot 6. French Net
200 pairs of this lot new design Net Curtains bonaz work and cluny lace styles, made from fine quality French net
On sale this week $1 95

Five lots of manufacturers' samples and twelve lots of lace curtains in pairs will be put on sale at a big reduction Monday



Drummers Samples
15c Each
800 in this lot--samples
of Curtains, fancy nets, Cluny lace, torchon two tone effects and fine madras Samples of Curtains that sell up to $4 00 the pair Various lengths can be used for dresser tidies door panels table scarfs, kitchen and bath room windows
On sale Monday, 15c each

25c Each
1000 of these manufacturers' samples
Samples of Curtains that sell up to $6 50 the pair white Arabian, champagne colors varying in length from 1¼ to 2 yards many long enough for bed rooms kitchen, bath rooms etc *On sale Monday, 25c each.*

35c Each
600 in this lot--manufacturers' samples
from Lace Curtains that sell up to $10 the pair white Arabian ivory and champagne shades representing the finest styles and weaves cable corded thread weave, beautiful patterns all of this lot are in pairs
On sale Monday, 35c each

45c Each
750 of these manufacturers' samples
of the finest quality from curtains that sell up to $18 the pair This lot are all in pairs Cable nets fine madras weaves white, champagne and Arabian colors beautiful things nice enough for any home, lengths run from 1½ to 2 yards long *On sale Monday, 45c each.*

50c Each
212 in this lot--manufacturers' samples
of the highest grade Curtains Samples of lace curtains that sell up to $30 the pair, from pretty Irish Point Curtains the season's newest styles many elaborate patterns rich Brussels lace Tambour and Petersburg samples
On sale Monday 50c each

$2.00
Pair—Lot 7. Nottinghams
275 pairs, new designs, Madras weave and Nottingham Lace Curtains, white and Arabians, full regulation size, dainty, nobby things
On sale this week $2 00 pair

$2.50
Pair—Lot 8. Novelty Weaves
A large variety of net and scrim in pretty patterns Marie Antoinette and band Curtains with Grecian corners, bonaz and new cluny designs, also a lot in white and Arabian in novelty weaves.
On sale this week $2.50 pair

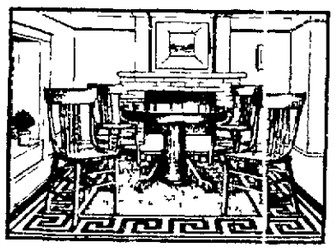
Odd lot
Lot 9. 200 pairs
High class Curtains, consisting of one, two and three pairs of a pattern; some mighty values in this lot See window display, also special odd lot in Drapery Department
On sale Monday half price

$3.00
Pair—Lot 10. Nottinghams
Handsome Madras weave Nottingham Curtains in an assortment of white and Arabian also beautiful Etamine Curtains floral patterns drawn-work styles some with pretty lace insertions, curtains with triple hems and linen insertions
All go this week $3 00 pair

$3.75
Pair—Lot 11. Marie Antoinette
Not many of these pretty Etamine Curtains with heavy filet lace borders Marie Antoinette Irish Points in rich champagne shades beautiful curtains for parlors and living rooms
On sale while they last $3 75 pair

$4.50
Pair—Lot 12. Irish Point
Many new patterns in Irish Point and Etamine Curtains in this lot with deep filet borders Irish Point Curtains that have rich borders and make an excellent net Etamine curtains with 9 inch filet borders
On sale this week $4 50 pair

Jackson's 3-room outfit, $6.50 cash, $6.50 month
Includes a 48-piece dinner set and 20 yards matting—Special $65.00



There a Gas Range Kitchen Chair Kitchen Table Dining Table 4 Chairs Iron Bed Spring Mattress Dresser and Rocker

Good for one fourth off any one article (specials excepted) Monday January 9th One to a customer—for cash—Bring Coupon

JACKSON'S Monday ¼ Off Special COUPON

NOTE—Go the Wernicke Elastic Sectional Bookcases Monarch Pantry Cabinets Odorless Ostrich Feather Dusters and Colonial Pad Cover Stock at Jackson's

H. H. Jackson PRESIDENT.

WIFE LEAVES; STARVES HIMSELF

Deserted German Husband Tries Hard to End His Life.

BERLIN Jan Hunger strikes are a common thing in prisons against ill treatment in Russian prisons It is best left for a Berlin business man to resort to one as a protest against conjugal infidelity

Recently the concierge of a house in the suburbs of Reinickendorf became uneasy about two of his tenants Herr Max Wulff a young merchant and his wife who had given no sign of life for many days Calling inquiries he found that Herr Wulff had been to business in the ordinary manner

Ringing and knocking failed to gain him admission to the flat he fetched the police who forced the door The flat was apparently empty and the porter was about to go away, believing that the Wulffs had quietly left their abode when he stumbled on Herr Wulff who was lying in a corner of the room

In a fainting voice Herr Wulff told how his wife had deserted him more than a month ago taking the furniture with her In despair he resolved to starve himself to death

JAPANESE TO LEARN USE OF GUILLOTINE

PARIS Jan 7— Twelve lessons suffice to teach any one to guillotine

Such was the remark recently made by the French executioner M Deibler who is the monopolist in these days of the Japanese it seems want to introduce the guillotine into their own country as one of the advantages of Western civilization A Japanese mission was sent to Paris on purpose to learn all about the guillotine, and they applied to M Deibler for instruction He received them very politely and took them to his establishment in the Rue de la Folie Regnault and showed them how it would work Would he consent to teach someone? they asked rather mysteriously In twelve lessons anyone can learn how to set up the machine and use it The Japanese were satisfied and "someone" will probably soon apply for the lessons

INSANE LUNATIC LAUGHED LAST

Legrand His Name; Le Grand Ticked the Telegraph Instrument.

PARIS Jan 7—A humorous story that will set everybody laughing is going the rounds of the Paris newspapers A lunatic named Legrand was giving some trouble in a country place Legrand imagined he was Napoleon and ended by shutting up in an asylum ordered the mayor

The garde champetre was told off to take him with the help of a local baker, to the asylum a few miles distant While going along the road the lunatic who was not always under the influence had a lucid interval Naturally he resented the arrest and after being taken to an asylum

One garde champetre consulted with the baker with the result that they offered him drinks to humor him, joining in the outing the third Before entering the little village also named Legrand the lunatic pointed out the telegraph instrument to the baker

While the three had retired into the public house for refreshment Legrand managed to get behind the counter and proceeded to tick off a telegram ordering the arrest of the two gendarmes As the gendarme champetre was older than the other two he was detained and the lunatic and the baker returned to the village when the lunatic who had been the first to get sober took on the other two

WOULD TAKE MILITIA POWER FROM GOVERNOR

SACRAMENTO Jan 7 At the request of the law and legislative committee of the San Francisco Labor Council Senator Tom Finn will introduce a bill to prevent the governor of California from calling out the state militia at his own caprice and without the request or consent of the chief executive of the city or district affected

Senator Finn's bill proposes to amend Section 191 of the Political Code by providing that only upon the request of the chief executive authority of any city or county may the governor send the state militia to deal with matters affecting the public peace.

TRAPPED ROBBER KILLS HIMSELF

Daring Thief Steals $85,000 in Jewels While Crowd Looks On.

NEW YORK Jan 7 While a large crowd looked on in the main corridor of the Waldorf Astoria hotel this afternoon a thief broke a plate glass window of a jewelers shop

His hand held a second stone with which he smashed the glass of a showcase and filled

He seized a pearl necklace with $5000 and then worth $85,000 or more and fled up the street The buyers in the shop who had seen the robbery dashed out in pursuit. The chase led over the Astoria Annex on Fifth avenue where the robber reached the entrance of the Waldorf Astoria hotel

He dashed into the main corridor of the hotel and ran to the desk of the hotel detective

Without the three detectives realized what was happening the robber had disappeared in the crowd

The police are now searching for the thief but his identity is unknown He is said to be about and the police believe that he is a foreigner

Golden Jubilee of Sister Mary Alice

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7 Three generations of Carlin blood met today in the Church of St Vincent de Paul when Sister Mary Alice, daughter of Carlin has spent the entire time of Carlin's life in San Francisco celebrated the Golden Jubilee of her profession as a member of the Sisters of St Dominic Father Magnin the present pastor of St Patrick's church

Father Shaw of the Dominican order was the celebrant of the mass Archbishop Riordan officiated in benediction for Sister Mary Alice at 4 o'clock Tonight a reception in honor of the Sister Vincent alumnae will greet a reception for their former teacher

Sister Mary Alice enjoys excellent health and is active as a teacher in St Vincent's convent

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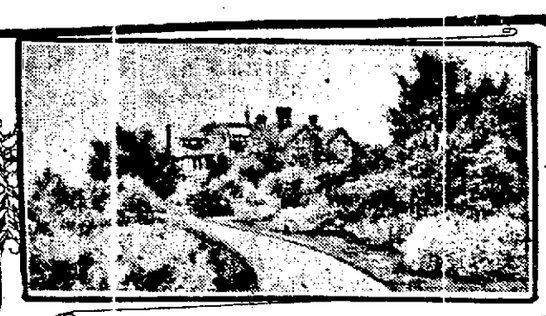

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Hastening the Commercial Development of Oakland's Western Water Front

OAKLAND'S BANK CLEARINGS AND DEPOSITS SHOW CITY'S GROWTH AN D PROSPERITY

Surplus Wealth of Its Citizens Make a New Record and Its Business Shows Material Increase

Oakland is moving by leaps and bounds these days. It enters the new year with an unprecedented record in its bank deposits and its bank clearings. Every bank in Oakland shows a material increase in its deposits over what they were at the same period last year.

Bank Deposits Steadily Growing

The Oakland Bank of Savings has nearly reached the $20,000,000 mark in its deposits, which are over $1,500,000 in excess of their amount at the beginning of 1910, and $600,000 more than at the opening of 197 when they reached the highest previous high-water mark; and the affiliated Central National and Central Savings Banks have passed the $10,000,000 mark in their joint deposits. These facts prove that the people of Oakland have today a larger surplus of wealth than they ever had before and are, therefore, enjoying a greater measure of prosperity than they ever before experienced.

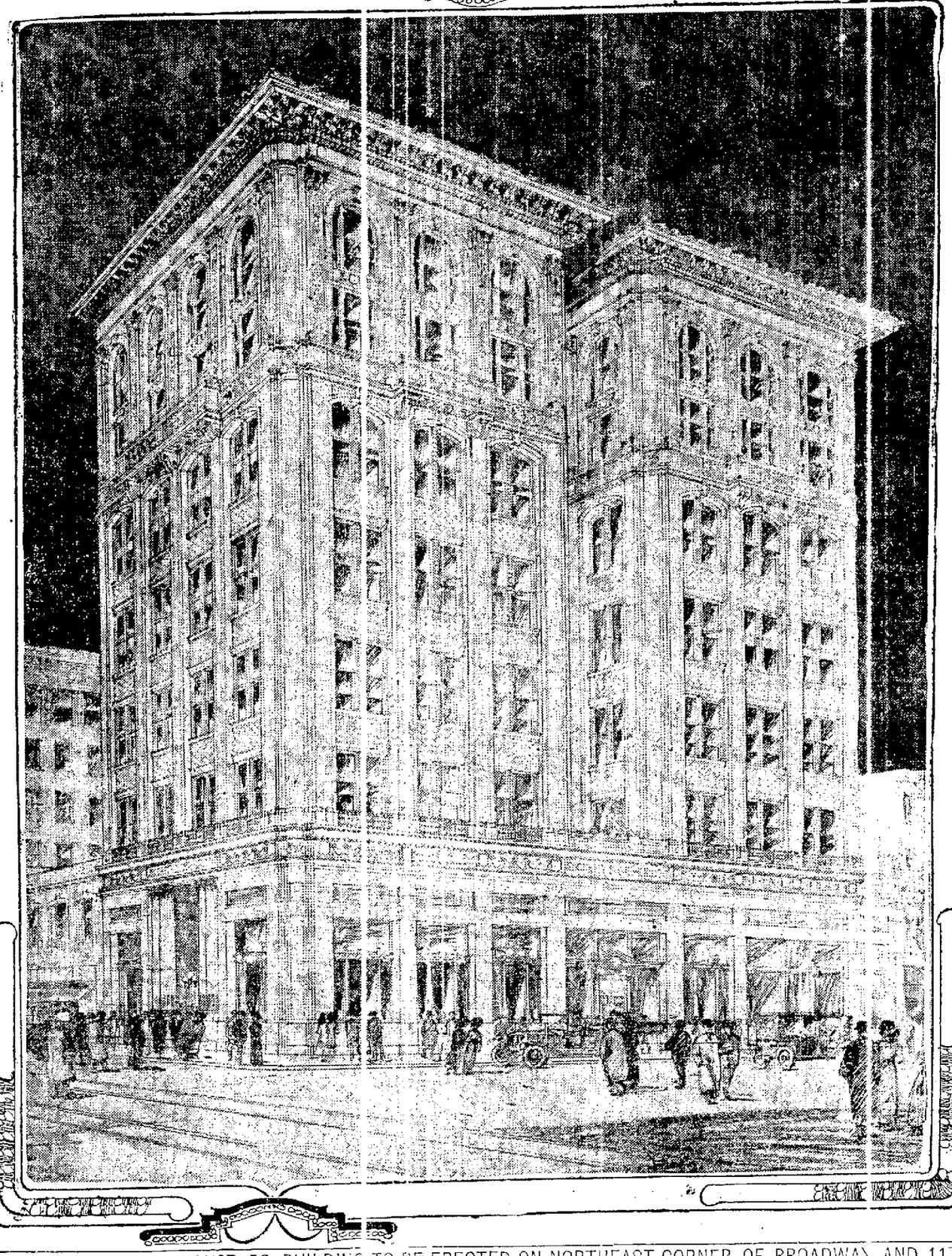
What the Bank Clearings Show

The bank clearings for the year 1910 and for the first week in 1911 tell the same story of business prosperity, the expansion of industrial interests and the growth of population. The former show an excess of nearly $61,000,000 over the bank clearings of 1909 and of $17,000,000 over the bank clearings of 1907, in which year a record-breaking figure was reached. The big increase in the bank clearings of last year occurred, moreover, under perfectly normal conditions and not under any forced process, as has been intimated by an outside element unfriendly to Oakland's progress. If a forced process had been applied, whereby Oakland would have obtained an honest credit for what is its due in the records of the clearing-houses of the country, the total bank clearings of $157,000,000 with which it has been credited in those records would have been multiplied many times over.

At the close of the first week in 1911 ending January 5, in which there was a holiday and consequently a total suspension of business, Oakland's bank clearings, as reported by Bradstreet's, amounted to $4,101,000, an increase of 61.5 per cent over the corresponding week in 1910. This is the first time in the history of the Oakland clearing-house for the weekly bank clearings to pass the $4,000,000 mark.

Surplus Wealth Increasing Despite Expenditure

These are the noteworthy conditions which exist in Oakland, notwithstanding the enormous drain made on the community during the year 1910 for public and private improvements. Surplus wealth has increased here, despite the fact that over $1,500,000 was spent on sewer and street improvements and nearly $7,000,000 in new buildings, or over $1,000,000 more than was spent in the year 1909. And the groundwork is being laid in the first month of 1911 for an expenditure of millions in private and public improvements which the people and the corporations are courageously investing with the full consciousness of a greater financial harvest to be reaped in return for their unbounded faith in Oakland's future progress.



SECURITY BANK AND TRUST CO. BUILDING TO BE ERECTED ON NORTHEAST CORNER OF BROADWAY AND 11TH.

SECURITY BANK'S NEW BUILDING

Handsome 7-Story Class A Structure; Erection to Start Soon

The plans of the architects, Reed & Meyer, of the new building to be erected on the northeast corner of Eleventh street and Broadway for the Security Bank and Trust Company building are now practically completed and the accompanying illustration is a perspective drawing of the structure as it will appear. It will be a seven-story bank and office class A building with steel frame and fireproof construction throughout.

Banking Room and Safe Deposit Floors

The ground floor and basement will be devoted wholly to the banking room and the safe deposit vaults. The banking room and vault equipment will be strictly modern in character.

The banking room will occupy all of the ground floor space except that surrendered to the elevators and recess thereto, and will be about twenty-four feet in height. Special attention is to be given to the interior decorations and the arrangement of this room, which will be equipped throughout with a Hetograph system.

The bank vaults and safe deposit department will occupy the basement. The vaults will be the latest type manufactured, and in their construction will be absolutely burglar and fireproof.

An automatic lift will be provided from the bank vault to the banking room floor, and an omnibus system of handling books and coin installed between the banking room and the vault.

Upper Floors for Office Purposes

The upper floors are to be devoted to offices. The building has been so planned that every office gets direct light and air from the street there being no inner court or areas in the structure. The building will be equipped with two high speed elevators communicating with every floor.

External Design Italian in Style

The external design of the building is Italian in the general character of its architecture. The base course will be constructed of California granite. The main shaft above the upper line of the banking room will be built of specially designed brick inlaid with polychroma terra cotta. The upper two stories will be faced with mat glaze terra cotta.

The new building will be white in general color. It is planned to be complete and permanent when finished, no provision being made for the addition to it of other stories in future. Its total cost is estimated at $250,000, and its construction will soon be started. It will be one of the handsomest buildings on the Pacific coast when finished.

ALAMEDA LOOKS AHEAD HOPEFULLY

City Enjoyed Prosperous Year in 1910; Great Expectations Based On Tunnel Project.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 7.—The rapid increase of building permits last December, when sixteen permits were issued for houses and ten for alterations and additions at a total cost of $30,850, over December, 1909, when but four building and three addition permits were issued, proves that this city is keeping up its rapid growth and that the real estate market is getting better instead of retrograding as in many coast cities.

PROSPEROUS YEAR.

The month of December was also remarkable for the number of houses sold and also for the number of lots disposed of, much to the surprise of the realty dealers who have always looked upon December as the dullest month in the year.

This business can be traced directly to the advertising this city has received in the special editions of the newspapers, the magazine articles about its schools, streets, sewers and municipal electric light plant, for homeseekers want to live in a city that has a low tax rate and that has but few municipal improvements to make.

The excellent weather enjoyed during December also had much to do with the increased sales over last year, as many Eastern people purchased unimproved property, intending to return this fall and build.

ESTUARY TUNNEL.

One of the greatest factors that will tend to make this city more popular will be the tunnel under the estuary and the Alameda county representatives in the state legislature are to present a bill this session asking state aid to the project. This tunnel would make transportation between Oak and and Alameda ever better than it is at present and would obviate the present delay at the drawbridges.

Now that the government intends to open the drawbridges over the tidal canal at High and Park streets and at Fruitvale avenue, the tracts of land along the canal and on San Leandro bay will be available for manufacturing plants, especially as that section of the city has railroad connection with the great transcontinental lines through a spur track.

MANUFACTURING PROSPECTS.

That Alameda has a great future as a manufacturing city no one doubts, for the opening of the Panama canal will make all manufacturing sites valuable and Alameda's factory sites are still to be purchased at a reasonable figure

FOURTEENTH ST. APARTMENT FLATS

Three-story Structure Costing $14.500 Now Being Built Near Castro Street.

A three-story apartment flat building is being erected on Sixteenth street, near Castro street, for Clement P. Rust, from plans drawn by Architect Charles W. McCall. The exterior will be executed in the southern French Renaissance with cement plaster and terra cotta tiled cornice.

The interior is divided into twelve three and four-room apartments. The living rooms are to be paneled seven feet high. All apartments have been most carefully arranged for convenience, sunshine and view, and are to be well supplied with wardrobes, lockers, closets, etc. All kitchens will have rear service stairs and a storeroom in the basement.

The contract, including a janitor apartment in the basement, but exclusive of the architect's fees, is $14,600.

HOW OAKLAND KEEPS GROWING

Developments On Fourth Avenue Boulevard Which Have Recently Taken Place.

The remarkable developments of Oakland as a city is well illustrated by the reproduction in this issue of the section of Peralta Heights which has with the exception of one house been entirely built up since the fire. The intersection of Fourth avenue boulevard and Chicago avenue shown in the cut offers homes which were all built according to their own plans by Taylor Brothers & Company. This firm has made a record in the building of artistic homes for sale which is unequaled by any other of the city.

The illustration shows a corner of the small park donated by F. M. Smith whose magnificent home is but a few hundred feet away from the location shown. The board boulevard is of asphalt macadam and is one of the finest in Oakland. The homes of District Attorney Donahue and C. D. Dunnan of the Pacific Coast Steamship company appear in the photograph.

Speaking of the many tourists and homeseekers in Oakland, Charles Taylor of Taylor Brothers says:

"I have never noticed so many visitors nor have we ever had such a demand for homes from strangers, who have decided to settle here permanently. Many are those to whom we rented some months ago or perhaps last winter, but who now want to live here and own their home."

CONSTRUCTION OF CITY WHARF ON THE WESTERN FRONTAGE TO BE RUSHED

New Electric Railway Incorporated to Join It; Much Trade to Be Brought to Oakland by Water

Two weeks ago THE TRIBUNE announced in the assurance given by Mayor Mott that within six months the first municipal wharf on the western waterfront at the end of Seventh street extended parallel with the Southern Pacific mole would be finished and ready for business. At the same time it was stated that in all probability a street railway would be built alongside the mole to accommodate the passenger and freight traffic which the new wharf would unquestionably attract to Oakland.

New Electric Railway to Key Route Basin

The latter proposition promises to be carried out quicker than was anticipated when it was tentatively exploited, for articles of incorporation of the

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'DARK COUNTESS' NEAR INSANITY

Tarnowska Forced to Leave Beloved Venice; Loses Her Mind.

ROME, Jan. 7.—According to Italian law, prisoners cannot serve sentences of hard labor in prisons in the cities where they were tried and convicted. The rule naturally applies to the Countess Tarnowska, who must shortly leave Venice prison, but her removal has been postponed owing to the serious condition of her health. After the trial Countess Tarnowska had a nervous collapse, but relied on the hope that her appeal against the sentence would be favorably entertained. When the appeal was rejected she still hoped against hope for a pardon, which was refused.

The countess then appeared to be reconciled to her sad fate, especially as the nuns of the Venice prison nursed her lovingly and petted her. When Tarnowska was notified that she must leave Venice she was shocked to such an extent that she fell seriously ill, and for many days refused food and spent sleepless nights. She had been reduced to a nervous wreck. Recently she underwent a surgical operation and as a result began to suffer from hallucinations. She became so hysterical that insanity was seriously feared. The doctors agree that Tarnowska is destined to a premature end.

PIEDMONT REALTY GROWS IN FAVOR

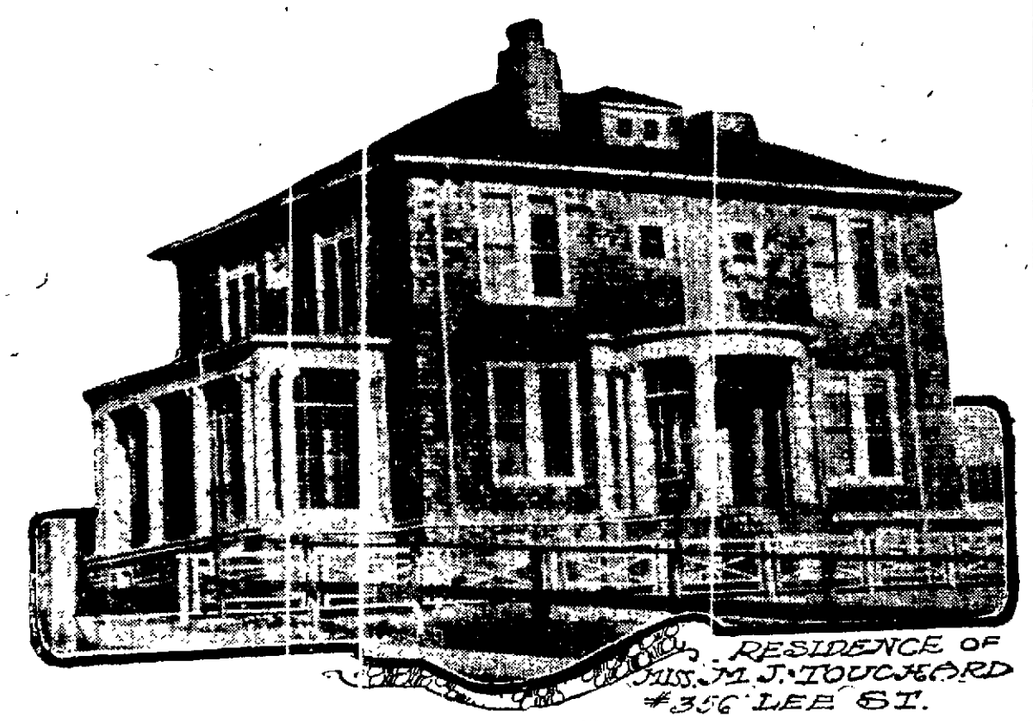
East Piedmont Heights Extension to Be Benefited by the Key Route Railway Plans.

East Piedmont Heights Extension is receiving the most direct benefit of any section of Oakland up to the present time from the announcement of the incorporation of the gigantic United Properties Company of California. The construction of the Oakland, San Francisco & San Jose railroad to San Jose will pass through the East Piedmont Heights Extension tract and will provide quick transportation to San Francisco in addition to the many advantages the property has already enjoyed as the fastest growing residence district of Oakland.

All Piedmont properties will benefit immensely, as the quick and direct transportation to San Francisco will either touch or pass close to all of the Piedmont residence sections and will furnish what has been so long desired.

The East Piedmont Heights Extension tract has already established a fine record for the actual building of homes and has grown rapidly solely on the many advantages it possesses as a home section of Oakland. The intrinsic value of every foot of property has thereby been greatly enhanced.

THE YEAR 1911 OPENS WITH THE PROMISE OF GREATER GROWTH AND PROSPERITY



RESIDENCE OF MISS. M. J. TOUCHARD #356 LEE ST.

CONSTRUCTION OF CITY WHARF ON WESTERN FRONTAGE TO BE RUSHED

(Cont. from Preceding Page.)

Oakland Bay Shore Railway Company were filed on Wednesday in the office of the County Clerk. The maps of the new railroad have been prepared for some and assurances may now be given that it is a part of the Oakland and Antioch Electric Railway system (now in course of construction) and will constitute the waterfront terminal of the system on the eastern bay shore. The extension of the line to the western end of Seventh street extended on the north side of Oakland mole was planned in anticipation of the construction of the municipal wharves in the Key Route basin.

Object of Hastening Western Wharf Work

The purpose of the Board of Public Works in hastening the construction of the wharf immediately north of the pier head line of the Oakland mole is to provide accommodations for the landing and loading of passengers and freight direct to and from the steamships engaged in the coastwise passenger trade and steamboats trading with bay and river points, and thus avoid the 5 per cent transbay toll and the loss of time to which they are subjected. At the new wharf it will be just as easy for coastwise and bay and river boats to touch going to and coming from the San Francisco docks and deliver or take aboard Oakland freight and passenger, as it is for them to handle the business on the other side of the bay, and that without practically any inconvenience or loss of time.

Direct Trade by Water Routes to Oakland

When the new wharf is constructed and put into operation it will stimulate direct trade and passenger traffic between Oakland and all coastwise, bay and river points. It has been impossible in the past to cultivate this trade by water, for the reason that there has been no wharf on the city's western waterfront communicating with the business center of Oakland at which the craft engaged in it could conveniently touch, passing in and out of Oakland harbor to and from the wharves on the southern waterfront, consuming too much time. The new municipal wharf will remove all present drawbacks, and will give Oakland merchants and manufacturers a chance to build up a big trade by water routes which is not now available to them. The newly incorporated Oakland and Bay Shore Railway fits into this general scheme of commercial and industrial development, which promises to add immensely to Oaklands prosperity.

FATHER TAFT OFFICE HOLDER, SAYS SON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6 — Charley Taft, youngest son of President Taft, availed himself of all the privileges that are coming to him as a budding citizen, but consistently refused to take advantage of the fact that his father is president.

At a party given in Washington recently Charley Taft was placed at a table beside a girl of his own age, who failed to recognize him. As the acquaintance progressed to a point where it seemed desirable the young lady asked: "What is your name?"

"Charley," laconically replied her escort.

Still somewhat at a loss to place the boy who seemed so desirable an acquaintance, another question was propounded:

"Where do you live?"

"On Pennsylvania avenue."

"What does your father do?"

"Oh, he is a political office holder here," was the answer to that one.

"R. I. P." WROTE SENDER OF AMERICAN BEAUTIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6 — Recently a box addressed to Gen. J. W. Keifer was delivered in the office of the house committee on appropriations. When Gen. Keifer opened the box he beamed. On top of American Beauty roses was a card saying the roses were from old friends in Ohio.

"There," said he proudly, as he lifted the roses, "I may have been defeated, but, by George, it gives a man some satisfaction to be remembered by his friends in this fashion!"

"There seems to be some other message for you," said a member of the committee, examining the bottom of the box.

Gen. Keifer picked up the box and read this inscription:

"May he rest in peace."

Back to the box went the flowers, and the floor went the card and out the door went the general, while the members laughed at the general's failure to recognize the handwriting of a fellow committeeman.

BERKELEY'S NEW YEAR HOPES RISE

Prospects of Much Acitvity in Realty Trading and in College City Building.

BERKELEY, Jan. 7.—The new year in realty circles in Berkeley opens with many auguries of prosperity. The coming spring is to witness the completion and beginning of operation of the Southern Pacific electric lines through the college city, and news of the Smith-Tevis deal leads the realty men to believe that the Key Route will hasten work upon its Berkeley lines. These railroad improvements will increase activity in the sale and improvement of suburban tracts, principally in North Berkeley.

Fair weather has assisted in the inauguration of realty trade for the year, sunny skies being a direct aid in showing properties. A firm winter business in suburban and close-in houses and lots is reported by the local brokers, although no large transfers have materialized this week.

BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS.

It is predicted that building operations will show an increase this year over the past twelve months. For the year ending December 31 last the valuation of buildings erected in Berkeley was $1,478,800, as compared with $1,249,500, in 1910. The latter figure was about the average of all the years since 1906, the year of the great disaster, and up to the twelve-month just ended. The principal reason assigned for the slump is that the demand for residences and business houses was satisfied a year ago.

The expected decision regarding the site of the Panama-Pacific Exposition is expected to have much weight in strengthening conditions and loosening the purse-strings of investors.

PERMITS ISSUED.

Among the building permits issued for the week is one for repairs on the residence owned by F. C. Bradley and occupied by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University. The remodeling and repair work will cost $7500, and will probably not be made until President Wheeler vacates the house. He is to move into the presidential mansion on the campus as soon as that dwelling is completed.

The following building permits have been issued this week:

Hardware store, corner of Harrison street and Kelsey avenue, Mrs. A. B. Gigax; $250.

Alterations for house, 1820 Scenic park, F. C. Bradley; $7000.

One story seven room dwelling at Shattuck avenue and Grand View terrace; J. T. Greenhood; $2500.

One story two room dwelling, Kittredge, near Milvia street, for the drying plant of Wann Brothers; $200.

Oakley Presbyterian Church building, southwest corner of Cedar street and Bonita avenue; $1800.

Two story 8-room dwelling, east side Spruce street, 600 feet north of Rugica, J. J. Cahill, $3800.

FIVE WOMEN BURIED IN A FIERY GRAVE

LISBON, Jan. 7.—A destructive fire broke out in a dwelling-house at Mourisa, near Tondella, where an invalid girl lay in bed helpless. Four lady friends courageously endeavored to effect her rescue. Rearing ladders to the upper windows they entered the blazing house, and presently were seen to return to the window bearing the girl in their arms.

Just, however, as it appeared that their gallant venture was to meet the reward of success in spite of the flames which enveloped the small company, the building collapsed bodily, and the five women, uttering piercing screams, were engulfed in what was literally a fiery furnace.

OAKLAND'S BUILDING REVIVAL

New Year Opens Auspiciously, as the First Shows Increased Activity

Following is a summary of the building permits applied for at the Board of Public Works during the week ending Wednesday, January 5, 1911:

	No. of Permits.	Amounts.
1-story dwellings	22	$25,175.00
2-story dwellings	2	5,500.00
2-story flats and stores		3,500.00
2-story brick building		22,950.00
1-story stores		450.00
1-story factory		3,300.00
Corrugated iron garage and repair shop		2,500.00
Barns, sheds and stables		565.00
Workshops and garages		510.00
Alterations, additions and repairs	1	3,528.25
Total	5	$82,868.25

REPORT BY WARDS.

First ward	$71,110.00
Second ward	
Third ward	50.00
Fourth ward	
Fifth ward	4,882.50
Sixth ward	2,570.00
Seventh ward	24,255.75
Total	$82,868.25

BUILDING PERMITS.

Following is a detailed statement of the building permits applied for at the Board of Public Works during the week ending Wednesday:

Pacific Gas and Electric Co., corrugated iron garage and repair shop, southeast corner of Second and Washington; $2500.

Mrs. B. B. Towle, 1-story 5-room bungalow, east side of Locksley, 40 feet north of Hudson, $2750; 1-story 5-room bungalow, east side of Locksley, 220 feet north of Hudson, $2600; 1-story 5-room bungalow, east side of Locksley, 360 feet north of Hudson, $2300.

C. E. Quigley, 1-story shed, 225 Palm avenue, $50.

C. L. Houghton, 2-room addition, 1638 Thirty-sixth avenue, Fruitvale; $200.

E. DeRosa, 1-story, 6-room dwelling, east side of Forty-ninth avenue, 145 feet south of East Fourteenth street, Melrose; $1200.

F. Burris, 1-story, 5-room dwelling, southwest corner of Fifty-sixth avenue and East Fifteenth street, Melrose, $2000.

C. J. Pfrang, 1-story, 5-room cottage, east side of Miles avenue, 250 feet north of Clifton avenue, $2000; 1-story 5-room cottage, east side of Miles avenue, 300 feet north of Clifton, $2000; 1-story 5-room cottage, east side of Miles avenue, 340 feet north of Clifton, $2000.

Gold Medal Waterproofing Co., alterations, 1104 Twenty-fifth avenue, $2800; 1-story cook house, north side of Twenty-fifth avenue, 50 feet north of C. P. R., $450.

H. Z. Jones, 1-room addition, northwest corner of Kansas and Laurel avenues, Allendale, $150.

B. Christensen, 1-story 5-room cottage, 4602 Bellevue avenue, Melrose; $1000.

H. E. Sebolt, alterations, 1719 Ninety-second avenue, Elmhurst; $175.

Mrs. A. Pickering, 1-story 5-room dwelling, west side Galindo, 459 feet west of Fruitvale avenue; Fruitvale; $1800.

Twelfth Street Realty Co., floor re-831 Twelfth street; $30.

C. Melquiond, alterations, 214 Eleventh street, $10.

H. E. Cuthbert, 1-story 2-room dwelling, west side Franklin avenue, 4 blocks north of Hopkins street, Allendale; $300.

B. Lesto, 1-story 8-room cottage, west side Colby avenue, 200 feet south of Sixty-second street; $2000.

Gold Metal Waterproofing Co., addition, 1104 Twenty-fifth avenue $450.

F. Luz, 1-story 5-room dwelling, east side East Twenty-fifth street, 250 feet west of Twenty-first avenue; additional cost to former permits; 200.

A. J. White, reshingling roof, $25 Kirkham street, $70.

P. M. McDoland, addition, east side Telegraph avenue, 250 feet north of Fifty-first street; $200.

California Fruit and Syrup Co., 1-story factory, northeast corner Forty-second avenue and S. P. tracks, Fruitvale; $3300.

C. B. Wells, 2-story brick dwelling, corner Ocean View avenue and West View drive, Claremont, $ 2,950.

Best Gas Tract Co., 1-story shed, east side One Hundred and Fifth avenue, 133 feet south of S. P. right of way, Elmhurst; $80; also 1-story barn, (same address); $110, also 1-story barn, (same address); $165.

D. B. Bankhead, 1-story 3-room cottage, east side Fifty-fifth street, 100 feet west of Fremont street; $500.

W. C. Hug, 2-room addition, 362 Perry street; $600.

Schroesen & Isaacson, 2-story 7-room dwelling, south side East Eighteenth street, 125 feet west of Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale; $3000.

Mrs. L. E. Bruner, 1-story store, west side Piedmont avenue, 0 feet south of Mathe street; $450.

J. Brackmachoe, 2-story 8-room store and flats, south side East Fourteenth street, 110 feet west of Ninety-eighth avenue, Elmhurst, $3500.

R. C. Ellis, 1-story 5-room cottage, south side East Twenty-fourth street, 176 feet west of Twenty-first avenue; $975.

W. Childs, 1 story 6-room bungalow, southwest corner Forty-fifth and West street; $2000.

D. F. Leary, alterations, 1545 Curtis street; $50.

Y. C. Heide, alterations, 429 Tenth street, $67.

E. P. Coakley, alterations, 1156 Washington street, $350.

J. Nielsen, 1-story 5-room dwelling south side Echo avenue, 611 feet east of Piedmont avenue, $1500.

G. Nielsen, 1-story 5 room dwelling, north side Francis street, 200 feet south of Brookdale avenue, Melrose; $1500.

A. N. Doody, 1-story 5-room dwelling, north side Harbor View avenue, 250 feet north of Redwood road, Allendale, $1800.

H. McLachlan, 1-story garage, north side Thirty-seventh street, 400 feet west of Telegraph avenue, $6

E. W. Nelson, 2-story 8-room dwelling, west side Racine street, 45 feet south of Fiftieth street, $2500.

G. Steimle, 1-story 5-room dwelling, east side Lounsley avenue, 350 feet north of Clifton street, $1300.

Wells & Wills, alterations, 1020 Washington street, $50.

Sam Austin 1-story stable, 1240 Foothoulevard, Fruitvale; $1 0.

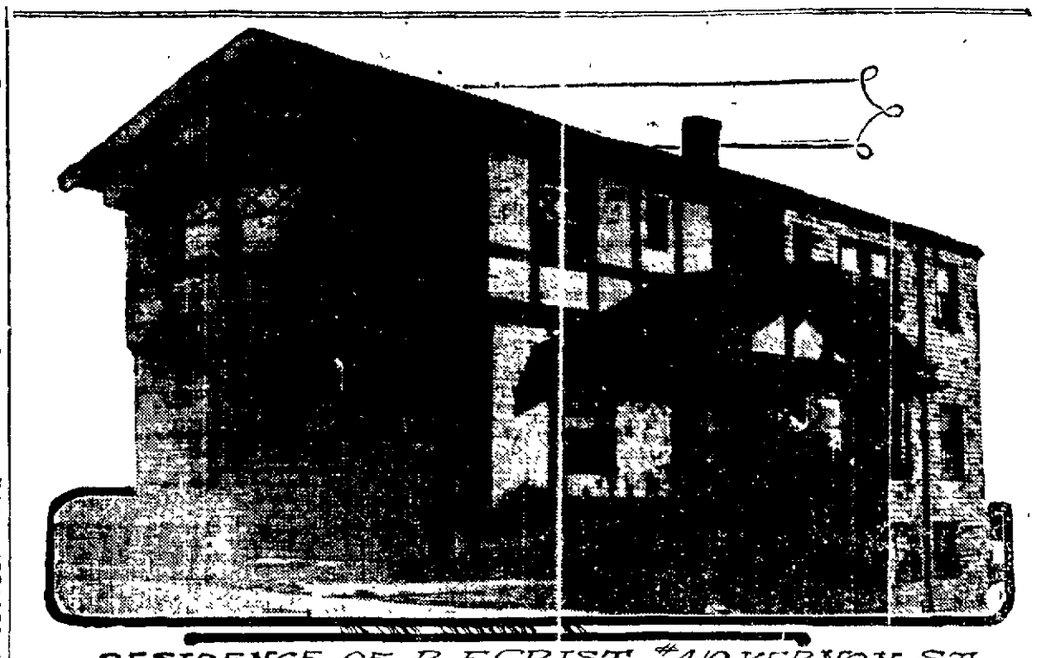
DECEMBER'S RECORD.

Following is a summary of the building permits applied for at the office of the Board of Public Works, during the month of December, 1910.

	No. of Permits.	Amounts.
1-story dwellings	61	$96,014 00
1½-story dwellings	10	21,467 00
2-story dwellings	15	50,350 00
2-story flats	4	23,119 00
2-story brick dwelling	1	22,950 00
2-story 9-room lodge room building with stores	1	17,460 00
2-story apartments with stores	2	47,800.00
7-story brick and steel building with stores	1	75,000 00
1-story reinforced concrete		
1-story store	4	5,810 00
1-story reinforced concrete crematory and columbarium	1	85,000 00
Motordrome	1	12,000.00
1-story gymnasium	1	950.00
Corrugated iron garage and repairs shop	1	3,500.00
1-story factory	1	3,300 00
2-story warehouse	1	400 00
1-story office	1	60 00
Cook house	1	450 00
Greenhouses	2	58. 00
Concrete foundation	1	24. 00
Tank frames and barns	12	1,575 00
Garages and sheds	19	4,956 00
Alterations, additions and repairs	111	58,427.25
Total	252	$481,201 25

TOTAL PERMITS AND COST.

New constructions	141	$422,774 00
Alterations, additions and repairs	111	58,427.25
Total	252	$481,201 25



RESIDENCE OF R. F. CRIST, #410 VERNON ST.

PREPARES REPORT ON OIL SECTIONS

State Mineralogist Aubury Tells of Progress Made in Southern Districts.

State Mineralogist Aubury reports that great progress has been made in the line of representing the present status of the great petroleum producing industry of California in publications bearing the official imprint of the State Mining Bureau. Several maps have been completed, which have many details added in the accompanying text that are invaluable as a source of public information. Other maps are in preparation and will be ready for circulation very soon. Bulletins containing detailed information about the fields in various counties are in preparation and the text of these is nearly ready to send to the State Printer at Sacramento.

The work that has engaged the attention of field experts, who are acting as assistants to the State Mineralogist, has been progressing steadily for some months. Completeness of details and accuracy of information has been sought that the facts may be brought up to date as far as possible. As a result of this the assistance of a large number of persons who have valuable information to impart has been sought and secured. The larger and smaller oil companies, individual producers, county officials, men connected with the operation of properties as employes filling important positions and others have collaborated. The net result will be that what may be properly styled a handbook of California Petroleum Production and some related industries will soon be given to the public. That this will stimulate interest in California, especially when it is known that the State Mineralogist has undertaken also to prevent fraudulent representations on the part of unreliable operators who would injure the State and retard natural development.

In addition to the mapping of the various fields and the mapping of counties, showing the relative positions of the several fields in such counties, where more than one in a county has been developed, a large chemical work has been performed. Through this means the public will be informed regarding the different kinds of oils produced in the fields, respectively. Analyses are provided, which will be in themselves valuable advertisements for the resources of the State, for the oils, in addition to supplying unrivaled values and chances for indefinitely great opportunities in the way of by-products. This is shown by the asphalt production alone, the most of which is derived from the refining of petroleum. The production of asphalt in California in the last twenty-three years as shown by a bulletin recently published by the State Mining Bureau has amounted to $9,357,652.

LATEST REALTY TRANSACTIONS

Partial Summary of the Instruments Filed During Week by County Recorder.

Following is a list of the more important transfers, mortgages and releases of property recorded during the week ending Thursday in the county recorder's office:

TRANSFERS.

William D. Worster to Myron H. Brooks, lot 55 6x100 on the east side of Franklin street, 135 6 south of Francisco, Berkeley; consideration nominal.

Grace Graham and others to Martin Meyer, lot 42x125 on the east side of Hazen street, 173 feet south of Stuart, Berkeley; consideration nominal.

Oscar Carlson and wife to W. F. Fox, lot 5x115 on the northwest side of Fifth avenue, 65 feet southeast of East Tenth street; consideration nominal.

Claremont Park Company and Claremont Court Company to the city of Berkeley, seven separate pieces of park lands in Claremont; consideration nominal.

Henry B. Witt and wife to Sarah L. Wicks, lot 25x100 on the west side of Madison street, 25 feet south of Eighth; consideration nominal.

Crane Brothers Company, a corporation, to the Denair Mercantile Land and Development Company, lot 50x130 on the west side of McKinley street 50 feet north of Bancroft way, Berkeley, consideration nominal.

Horace Crane and wife to the Denair Mercantile Land and Development Company, lot 130x50 at the northwest corner of Bancroft way and McKinley street.

MORTGAGES.

John B. Gilbert and wife to Seabury C. Mastick, lot 29'x300 in Anghenbaugh tract, Alameda, $7000.

Fred F. Fenhuner to University Savings Bank, lot 45 6x90 on the north side of Delaware street, 49 6 feet east of Grove, $2500.

Cal M. Orr and wife to Frank K. Mott, lot 58x99.05 on the west side of Webster street, 100 feet north of Twenty-eighth; consideration nominal.

Mabel S. and L. F. Herrick, by trustee, to Henry F. Cuzon, lot 50x75 on the west side of Frank street, 25 feet north of Third, and Henry F. Cuzon and wife to E. Lehmhardt, same property, consideration nominal.

Estate of Julia P. J. Prather, by executor, to F. W. Street, lot 25x140 on the northeast side of Euclid street, 470.25 feet southeast of Adams, consideration $2250; also from same estate to same purchaser lot 50x140 adjoining first named property; consideration $4500.

M. Frieman Realty Company to the Oakland Bank of Savings, lot 150x100 on the southeast corner of Tenth and Franklin streets; $90,000.

J. H. Avdelotte and wife to Hiberia Savings and Loan Society, irregular lot on the southwest side of East Eleventh street 50 feet southeast of Ninth avenue, consideration $250.

The Realty Syndicate to the Oakland Bank of Savings nine lots in Montgomery tract, seven lots in Mullkin tract portions of two block in Paradise plot and twenty-one lots in Shafter tract $31,500.

Edith A. F. Lyman and others to J. R. Burnham seventy-nine lots in Fourth avenue park and eleven lots in the same park, subject to the contract of purchase; $20,000.

Trustees of the First Baptist church of Oakland to Oakland Bank of Savings, lot 45x101 on the north side of Jones street, 150 feet west of Telegraph avenue, $4800.

P. D. Mowell to Maria Pearce, lot 25x100 on the west side of San Pablo avenue, 60 feet north of Isabella street; $7000.

John Schunck and wife to Louise Jensen, lot 60x136.5 on the west side of Walnut street 124 feet north of Hearst, Berkeley, $1000.

Frank J. Bateman and wife to John M. Scerchie, lot 125x1 on the west side of Filbert street, 60 feet south of Gilman tract, $2500.

RELEASES.

Bankers' Trust Company, trustees for Oakland Bank of Savings, to Wickham Havens, lots 2, 5, 7 to 12 in Crocker tract, $7500.

Frank V. Bordwell and C. J. Hammond Jr., trustees of Frank V. Bordwell to Martin F. and L. Heubach, lot 50x13 76 on the southeast corner of Willow street and Santa Clara avenue, $4500.

Oakland Bank of Savings to William H. White and wife, lot 50x150 on the east side of Webster street 300 feet north of Fourteenth, $2500.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Charles J. Heeseman and wife, certain lots in block 188 on Keller Ingersoll map, $150 000.

Marion Miller to Alice B. Morgan, lots 9 and 10 in block W revised map of Oakland Heights, $3000.

Julius Seelberger to Ernest G. Wilton and wife, lot 10 in block B of Linda Vista terrace; $7000.

Oakland Bank of Savings to First Baptist church of Berkeley, lot 50x127.33 on the north side of Bacon way, 90 feet west of Telegraph ave., $7 00.

F. T. Mellon to P. D. Mowell, lot 25x100 on the west side of San Pablo avenue, 60 feet north of Isabella street; $7000

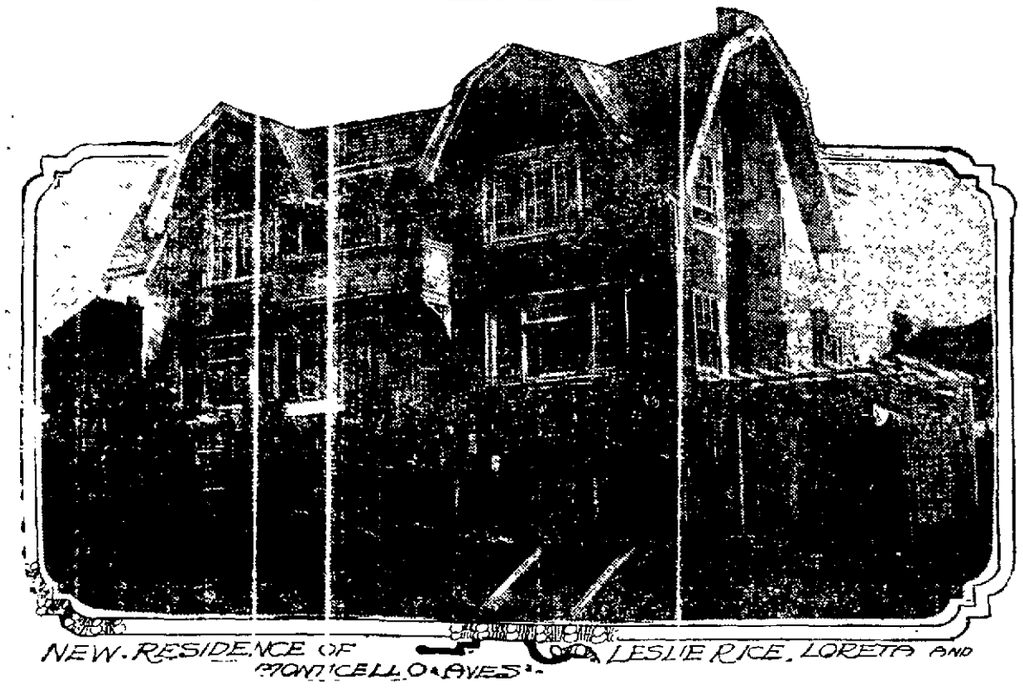
ELECTRC ROAD FOR BIG CANAL

Steel to Be Shipped for Road Along the Ocean-to-Ocean Cut.

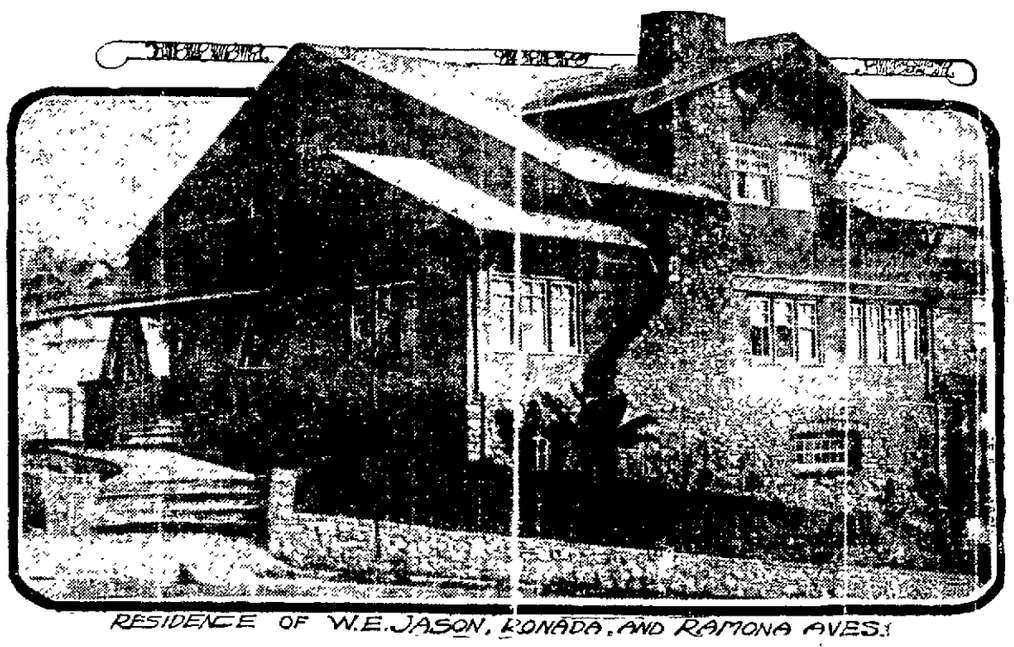
NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Within a few days the first shipment of steel will be made from New York for building a unique electric railway along the canal for drawing great ships from ocean to ocean. The enormous volume of shipping across the Isthmus will be drawn on the ancient tow path system, so that it will be unnecessary for steamers to proceed under their own steam. In place of the mules, on this curious tow path, powerful electric locomotives will draw the largest ships smoothly and swiftly across the continent. A steamer of say 20,000 tons, which the canal will readily accommodate, is obviously a very heavy burden, and the electric locomotives will be geared to the tracks by a middle rail in the form of a rack. The canal commission has advertised for 2,000 000 pounds of steel ties, 1,000 000 pounds rail steel conductor, slots and covers and 1,300,000 pounds of steel channels. This rack railway will be built by the commission and will be in working order in less than two years, in time for the opening of the canal.

DIRECT LINE TO AFRICA.

Since the days of the slave trade, there has been no direct line of ships plying between the United States and the west coast of Africa. A rich country with more than one hundred seaports stretches southward to the Cape of Good Hope. It is the only extended sea coast in the world, where trade is still carried on by bartering with the natives. Quantities of valuable native products, such as ivory, tusks, rubber, cocoa oil and even wild animals are brought to the coast to be exchanged with the local traders for beads, grass or knives. This rich, if primitive country, will be brought into direct communication with America by this new service. On Saturday last, the Karl Woermann sailed from New York for the Canary Islands and 117 possible ports of call on the African coast. A novel feature of her cargo was a number of collapsible steel cages for housing a variety of wild animals to be picked up during the voyage.



NEW RESIDENCE OF LESLIE RICE, LORETA AND MONTICELLO AVES.



RESIDENCE OF W. E. JASON, RONADA AND RAMONA AVES.

'SOUL' OF FAMOUS MILLET LOST FOREVER

The Restoration Ruins Painting Over Which America Has Raved.

CHAUCHARD ACCUSED OF RUINING MASTERPIECE

Marquis de Ganay Appointed Member of National Stables Council.

(By MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE)

PARIS, Jan 7—May I explain once and for all why the world renowned "Angelus" of Millet is getting such hard knocks from critics who have visited the Chauchard collection now on exhibition at the Louvre

The explanation will be appreciated by Americans because "the Angelus" was held in very honor in America. It is very simple The picture has been restored Therefore it has lost its soul

Chauchard, who passed his life, not in the famous picture galleries of the world but in the big department store called the Louvre which he founded, was a great collector but a poor judge One day it occurred to him that "The Angelus" and the 'Shepherdess' both from the brush of Millet, were date loaning to called in a young painter, who believed himself a sort of Rembrandt in disguise

The result was that the two greatest pictures of the nineteenth century have been practically ruined The intense poetry the beautiful background, the luster the atmospheric calm, the feeling of the open, the impression of the hour of the Ave Maria, all have disappeared

PAINTER HEARD BELLS

"I want you to hear the ringing of the bells, said Millet to us one day as we were looking at the picture together It did not require much imagination to hear those bells tolling the hour of the Angelus I am sure the great painter heard them distinctly

Fortunately the restorer has not laid his sacrilegious hands upon Corot's picture the de La Croix the Rousseau the Dias the Isabey and the Hounieu and others of the collection Chauchard paid $170,000 for The Angelus on its return to America, only to have it muddled of its birth There is one little picture in the collection which I well remember sold for sixty dollars forty years ago It is was bought by Chauchard for sixty thousand

At the suggestion of the Minister of Agriculture President Fallieres has appointed the Marquis de Ganay a member of the supreme council of the national stables The Marquis is one of our most American Frenchmen He had the good taste to marry a distinguished American lady, Miss Ridgeway of Philadelphia

STRONG SOCIAL SET.

The de Ganays the Ridgeways the Munroes and the Hottingers form a strong social set in our Parisian life The Marquis de Ganay is a member of the Jockey Club, owner of a stable of race horses and chairman of the racing committee of Long Champs

To make clear to American readers the importance of his recent nomination I should explain that in France stud horses are nationally owned Otherwise they belong to the state like the army, matches and some railroad The state owns 8495 stud horses It has many horse farms the most interesting of which are the Pompadour stables so called after the celebrated court of the government of Louis XV

WHITELAW REID ON ENGLISH POLITICS

Great Britain May Make Change in Her Present Immigration Laws.

NEW YORK Jan 7—Whitelaw Reid American Ambassador to England accompanied by his wife and son Ogden Reid arrived tonight on the Cunarder Caronia for a two months visit After he has attended to some personal business here he will accompany Mrs Reid to Milbrae near San Francisco

The Ambassador believes that England has been much embarrassed by Lloyd George's liberality to anarchists and that the recent excitement in Sidney street London, will undoubtedly result in her making alterations in her immigration laws

"There is no doubt" said Mr Reid "that in the past England has been a refuge to giving to offenders whose offense has been of a political nature She has always inclined to look upon political offenses as something different from ordinary crimes and refused to give up a man who threw a bomb but Napoleon III

I think, however that the British government would have been willing to part with the assassins of President Lincoln if they had been found in England as it was thought at one time they were

"Under the present English anarchist are not prevented from living and here are free to agitate only in London at the first I have read that the government will object to action in the new will not be made

America is suffering more from political crimes than any other country We have had three heads of our government removed by assassination which speaks badly for the Republican form of government but it shows that France is the same under any form of government

Mr Reid did not care to discuss his views of the British election

"I will say however that I am a Republican Free Trader and President Taft is the best President we have had since Lincoln

"THIRTY YEARS IN HELL." DECLARED IMMORAL

MACON Mo Jan 7—The motion in the case of the state vs Dr Alvan Hall charged with the murder of Dennis Hefferlin to have the jury instructed to bring in a verdict of not guilty was overruled by Judge Harris today

A witness for the state testified that the defendant had given the book "Thirty Years in Hell" to a man alleged ex-convict and said it was immoral The defendant's lawyers insisted that the entire book be offered in evidence and read to the jury so they could decide the question of the book's merit for themselves

New Fourth Avenue Boulevard at intersection of Chicago avenue, showing the small park donated to the city by F. M. Smith on the left and the building developments that have taken place since April, 1906.

LOST REMITTANCE MONEY GAMBLING

So Englishman's Wife Finally Secures a Divorce for Lack of Support.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—Mrs. May Wickens residing at 1830 California street secured a decree from Frederic W Wickens today because he has failed for some years to provide for her She told Judge Van Nostrand that her husband received remittances from his father in England but that he gambled it away She said their first quarrel resulted from her desire that Wickens go to work He became incensed over the thought she resented and later left her

What did he do with the money he received from England asked the judge

He put it down the slot was the response

When pressed for an explanation Mrs Wickens said her husband was accustomed to stand for hours before a nickel in the slot machine and play away his money

The following divorces were granted today By Judge Graham Nora and Marie from Joseph T Wilson annulment Taken Submitted Sharon Hallstater annulment

The following suits for divorce were filed with the County Clerk today

Julia against Patrick J Dacy cruelty

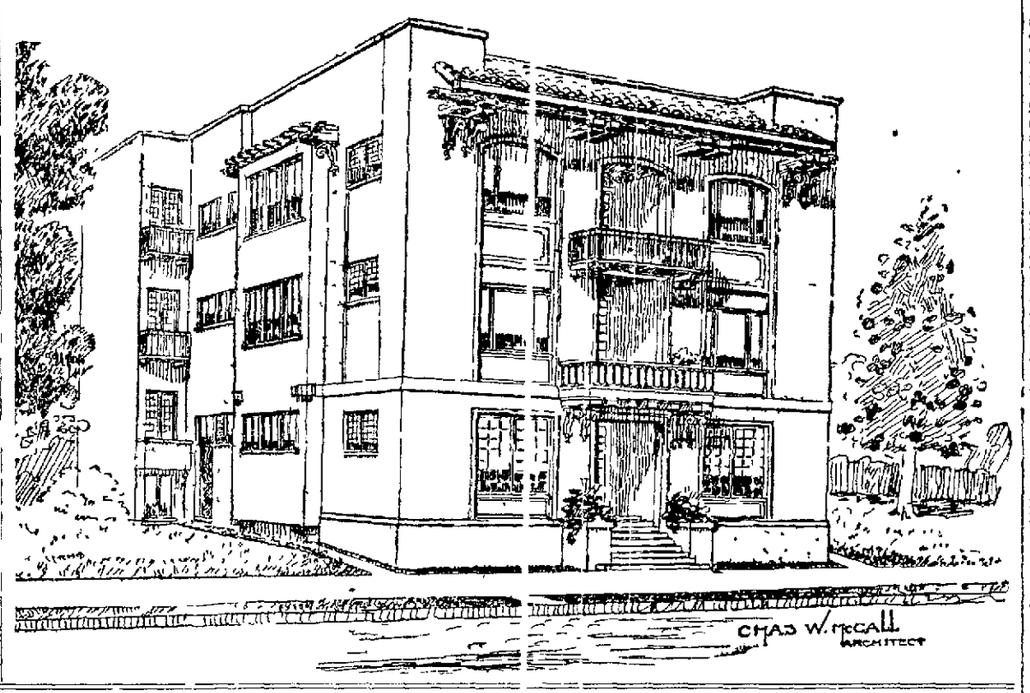
F P against Sarah L Tuttle cruelty

No 03 against Richard Cordes habitual intemperance

LIVERPOOL GRAIN

LIVERPOOL Jan 7—Closing Wheat—March 7s 11d May 7s 11½d

New apartment flat building being erected on Sixteenth street, near Castro, for Clement P. Rust to cost $14,500. Charles W. McCall, architect.



CHURCHILL IS BLAMED FOR ANARCHIST BATTLE

All of Europe Is Laughing at London's Policemen's Efforts to Head Off Crime

(By WILLIAM T STEAD)

LONDON Jan 7—John Bull is profoundly dissatisfied and not a little ashamed of himself He has reason for the Lilliputian martial army of policemen and gunboats with Maxims and artillery rifles and revolvers for the purpose of spanking two tramps who were not captured after all but who evaded justice and ridiculed their methods by successfully defying the whole force called out to their capture The fiasco has excited the darkest feelings of resentment and indignation at the existing system of the Home Office and the police and has called forth a storm of criticism and reproach from all sides

Perhaps the bitterness being felt at the present moment against Churchill and Lushington arises from the fact that the latter was a remark which Madame Novikoff made to me

RUSSIANS PLEASED.

Said this redoubtable Russian lady

It is quite flattering to us Russians to find that it is necessary to put a good Englishman into the field to subdue two Russians Now I begin to understand the Peterwar

The system is as just as it is true for in the Boer war England with 21 millions of men in their veins overcame the resistance of 300 Boers in one year and this succeeded in only three years of fighting

There is no justification in the remark of Cornelius Jonathan that England would require to mobilize a whole division of her army to cope with a riot such as occurred in the Nobiling quarter of Berlin last year There the rioters numbered hundreds were armed with revolvers and all the sympathy of the whole population of the quarter Nevertheless the latter was scattered by a police without calling on the troops

PLEASED AT FIRST

At first I very English men were well pleased to think he had exhibited energy and vigor in making such display of force, but after a day or two of reflection he began to consider that it is not well to fire cannon against a mouse or even a rat and the spectacle of a full grown man dashing all the crockery in an effort to catch a blue bottle flying or perching it seemed as if he saw he seem foolish for a moment to waft a feather or drown a fly

The only protest to trouble in the first scramble for which he himself was prohibited resigned his wish to keep the police who were employed in arresting two burglars as safe as if they were wrapped in cotton wool in the bosom of their respective families

IS CRIME PROBLEM.

Every one is rapidly coming to the conclusion that it is impossible to cope with riots unless you are prepared to shoot rioters down The police force is constantly called by the public to do work in the world for which it is not adapted and which it is not expected to perform and which it must necessarily perform badly

Nothing is more ridiculous than the sending of a force of 700 men armed to the teeth with rifles revolvers and cutlasses to capture a band of three burglars who were armed with revolvers only

WRONG PRINCIPLES

The police law and prison system of this city and country is based on the principle of making punishment as severe as possible in order to deter criminals from the commission of crime

Whether this principle is right or wrong is not the question I am discussing but it is misleading to the public to suppose that this principle is being carried out

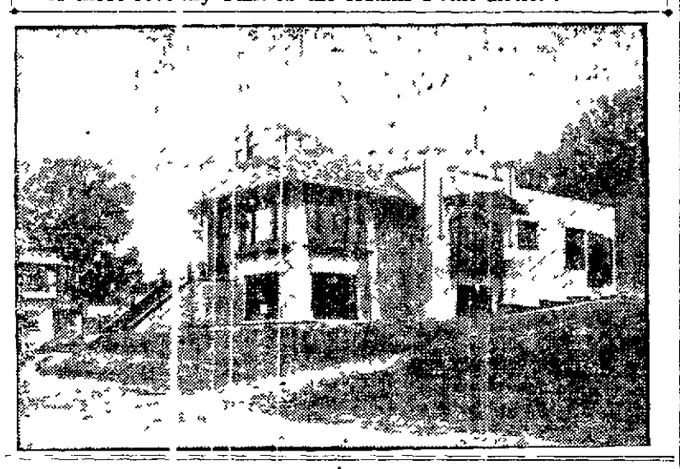
As a matter of fact the whole system is based on the principle of making punishment as light as possible consistently with the protection of society

The moment a policeman is known to be armed he loses control over the criminal class everything his own way

These reflections at first sight may seem to have little to do with the Sidney street affair but they have a very close connection with it

The moment it was known that Churchill had given orders that the police were not to be armed with revolvers the criminal classes felt that they were free to fight it out with the police without fear of being shot themselves

Residence of Alva F. Page, 814 Grand avenue, containing 7 rooms and bath and occupying a lot 50x108, just purchased from B. F. Murphy by Mr. Page for $8000. The house is one of those recently built in the Adams Point district.



OFFICIALS MAY LOSE SALARIES

Being Legislators, Sheriff Finn and Commissioner Hare Lose Jobs, It Is Claim.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7—Joseph Cutten son of Supervisor Cutten and formerly a member of the Police Board of Health with Mayor McCarthy ousted a year ago sent a formal notice to Auditor Thomas F Boyle today to the effect that if the latter approved the salary warrants of Sheriff Thomas F Finn and Election Commissioner John P Hare he would do so at his own personal risk, since the charter according to Cutten contains a provision that puts both the officials named out of their municipal positions because they are now serving as members of the State Senate

In support of his contention which he explains that he advises as a citizen desiring to see the laws properly observed Cutten cites Section 4 Article 15 of the charter which reads as follows

"Any person holding a salaried office under the city and county, whether by election or appointment who shall during his term of office hold or retain any other salaried office under the government of the United States or of this state or who shall hold any other salaried office connected with the government of the city and county or who shall become a member of the Legislature shall be deemed to have thereby vacated the office held by him under the city and county

Auditor Boyle today said that he would refer the point raised to his attorney before deciding on what action to take in the premises This is the first time that a state has summoned up the right to hold that there has never been a decision on the question

The qualification by Sheriff Finn as explained by him in a former occasion is that his case must be considered as coming under the reference made in the charter question to members of the Legislature and under this he insists as other state officials have also done that he is not affected since he was a State Senator before becoming sheriff and did not qualify after being elected

Cutten and some others in the January issue of the Grand Army Review will become a member of the Legislature

GREENWAY ESSAYS ANOTHER ROLE

Bohemian Club in Uproar Over Social Czar in Milady's Gear.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 7 — Ned Greenway well known at a public gathering It does sound unbelievable that the terror and czar of all the social rulers could go anywhere in San Francisco and not be known but it so happened at the Bohemian Club last night

Demonstrating his skill at impersonation Greenway beautiful Edward Maynard shaved off his mustache and appeared as a woman

Of course he wore a dress to help out the illusion His portly form filled the garment and the versatile Greenway danced with the same elegance and grace with which he can hold a glass of his own beer

Greenway was most spiritless and got the most hearty applause that night It is misleading to call the impersonation his most fetching delight

As others who have met him knowing him as a business man of Greenway's acquaintance with Him Greenway decided to entertain

When he was in the Sandwich Islands the arbiter of white society in the social life of San Francisco learned the hula la dance When he was in Paris he had to work like the dickens to learn the Parisienne and when he was in Russia he had to learn the original hoochee coochee dance

Greenway simply outdid himself it was voted and that was conceded to be the finest word of acclaim

IRISH AGITATE A NEW SYSTEM

British Politics Enter Upon an Unusual State of Activity Through Unionists.

LONDON Jan 7—Politics have entered upon a new stage of activity as the result of the extraordinary efforts of the Unionists to arm the British voter regarding the Asquith home rule program

Dr McDermott ablest of Presbyterian clergymen in England who represented the Ulster Unionist council in various parts of England while the general election was in progress, is agitating a new and thoroughly representative convention of Irish Unionists and a systematic visitation of the British counties and boroughs

Declaring that there is no living man Declaring that there is no living man Ireland as exists now Lo Every McDermot insists that the new generation in Great Britain was dangerously ignorant concerning the importance to Irish Unionists of the British connection"

Classified advertisements in THE TRIBUNE pay big returns for the money invested.

OAKLAND ROBBER SEEKS PARDON AT CAPITAL

Zimmerman, Who Held Up John Daly, Would Gain His Freedom.

CRIME MOST DARING IN SECTION'S HISTORY

Sack Containing $10,000 to Pay Oil Company's Help, Was Stolen.

SACRAMENTO Jan 7 — Assemblyman M R Jones of the Twenty-second district in Contra Costa county, tells a story which will be of interest to the officers of the Central National Bank of Oakland John Daly of the former livery firm of Kane & Daly and several other persons of that city

It is nothing more or less than that Zimmerman one of the men who about seven years ago, held up and robbed Daly and a friend who were carrying $10 000 in a sack from the bank in question to a bank in Richmond Contra Costa county, has an accident desire to be paroled

It was Jones who as an attorney with an office in Martinez who defended Zimmerman Not long ago he received a letter from his former client who had been sentenced to Folsom for forty years which means practically a life sentence informing him that he proposed to make an application to be paroled but that he did not know whether to appeal to Governor Gillett who was then in the executive chair or to wait until Governor Johnson should assume the reins of authority and be empowered to exercise clemency on the other hand to apply to the board of prison directors Jones did not encourage him along any of these lines

TO PAY EMPLOYES

The money he stole was intended for the pay roll of employes of an oil company in Richmond Zimmerman and his pal named Collins knew that it was the custom of the bank in Oakland to send money once a month by buggy to Richmond They waylaid Daly and his companion near Stege compelled them to get out of the buggy under the threat of being shot.

The men in the buggy disembarked were thrown to the ground gagged and bound to telegraph poles and the robbers took the money and disappeared

ZIMMERMAN JAILED

After about ten days Zimmerman was arrested in San Francisco and, although there was a close watch kept out for Hal Collins, who had been a resident of Oakland, the latter got away It was later reported that Collins had died

None of the $10 000 which had been spirited away was recovered Zimmerman who was a fine shot with a rifle was the man who held the buggy while at Daly's head He had previously won medals at Shellmound target shooting He was brought to trial in Contra Costa county in the Superior Court of which Judge W S Wells now of the Superior bench of Alameda county presided This was the principal witness against Zimmerman because his positive identified him as the man who held the rifle at his head There was still another witness however and that was a supposed consumptive who had been convicted for another crime and sent to San Quentin and who testified to a conspiracy between himself Zimmerman and Collins to commit a robbery After the commission of the crime Zimmerman and Collins failed to let the latter into any of the proceeds of the robbery as stick man but his revenge by testifying against Zimmerman and it resulted in the conviction of the robber in prison

At the time of the trial it was feared that the sick witness would expire or the witness stand but he did not He went back to the penitentiary at San Quentin and it seems that the prison atmosphere exercise and medical treatment have restored him to health

Zimmerman had been previously convicted of a felony and it is not likely that he can make a very strong appeal for clemency

Suit to Foreclose $75,000 Mortgage

FRESNO Jan 7—Suit was filed today in the superior court here to foreclose a $75 000 vineyard mortgage This is one of the biggest foreclosure suits ever filed in the county

A promissory note of $75 000 is involved The suit was brought by John D Wilkinson and W Patterson to foreclose against the Fairfield Vineyard Company and the Paragon Vineyard Company

Judge Beard Short and F E Cook are attorneys for the plaintiffs

Alfonso Arrives at Morocco in Yacht

MELILLA Morocco Jan 7—At 10 o'clock this morning the Spanish royal yacht Giralda having King Alfonso and a number of distinguished officials on board entered the harbor here Previous to the entry of the yacht the steamer Ivaro had arrived

Quite a number of deputies other prominent public men and a number of newspaper men A squadron of warships escorted the Giralda As soon as she disembarked, salutes were fired by the various warships in the harbor and by the forts

STRENUOUS TASKS FOR DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Next Half Year Will Be Busy Period for Government Prosecutors.

TRUST BUSTING WILL BE ON VAST SCALE

Heads of the Great Combines Will Have Plenty to Worry About.

WASHINGTON Jan 7—The next half year promises to be a strenuous one for officials of the Department of Justice from the Attorney General down The same period also promises to be one of unrest and worry for some of the larger corporations and trusts and their officials

Within the period the Attorney-General will endeavor to bring to a successful close the suits already instituted against ten or a dozen corporations and have the outlines of half as many more completed and ready for presentation to a civil or a criminal court

THE TOBACCO TRUST.

First comes the case of the Tobacco Trust the brief of which the Department filed with the United States Supreme Court this week Arguments were begun yesterday and will be continued Monday The case will be followed by the hearings of the Standard Oil and the corporation tax cases

While these cases are being heard in the higher tribunals some of the best legal minds in the department will be in College combating the array of legal talent employed by the Beef trust in an effort to bring that corporation before the criminal courts and checkmate moves for delaying prosecution

PRISON SENTENCES WANTED.

In this case every effort is being made by the Department to get prison sentences with the indictments At the same time the new famous battle trust will come up for hearing and trial Here the arms of trust officials have been intrenched behind a federal Grand Jury on Federal charges Charges set for an early hearing Unlike the Beef barons, the officials of the Tobacco trust have virtually confessed their guilt and asked for clemency According to Attorney General Wickersham there will be no clemency

TOWING MONOPOLY.

There is now a suit for equity against the Great Lakes towing monopoly The suit will be three fold A suit against the wholesale grocery combination being brought in the Southern States will be just such on charges of restraint of trade then there is the Lumber Trust of Virginia against which the department is getting ready to bring action and then the action in the New England states against the paper trust will be started soon

SIXTEEN HOUR LAW

The sixteen hour law relating to railway employees in interstate commerce will come up for adjudication The railroads have pointed out that it is unconstitutional and will in every thing in their power to break it down

In April the charges were made before the commission to the effect that the railroads had formed a combination pooling the production of the country Now that new was made and the matter referred to the Grand Jury till the result that is seen from the New York brokers indicted Then will be the courts on indictments will be examined

In addition the above suits are pending the commission's suits arising under the Elkins law commerce law, the decisions of the Interstate Commerce Commission and Federal Circuit Courts

RANCHER KILLED; FARMHAND HELD

F. A. Silveira Is Victim of Early Morning Shooting Near Madera.

MADERA Jan 7—F A Silveira, a rancher living here is dead with a bullet in his head and Joe Santos one of his farm hands is in jail as his slayer Santos is charged with murder

Silveira and his neighbor Manuel Silveira (no relation) were shooting wild ducks on the Fresno slough Joe Santos who was holding a trap saw Manuel Silveira decoy the ducks to within gunshot and then turn away Santos says that he would not fire at that if she was not looking and then turned around and fired at Silveira who fell dead Sheriff Westfall in his report of the shooting says that Santos admitted that he shot Silveira but claimed that it was accidental

You'll Buy in Rock Ridge Today

If You're Wise

You're going to live in Rock Ridge sooner or later—if you're a person of discernment And the longer you put off buying the ideal home site the more you're going to pay for it You'd be sure to get the advance prices already being paid to first purchasers Just this week one lot was sold at an advance of $800

The natural beauty of Rock Ridge, its situation in the Broadway hills just beyond the Country Club, its magnificent plan of subdivision the splendid improvements now practically completed and the costly homes under construction have combined to make Rock Ridge the finest residence suburb in the bay district.

If you doubt it visit the property and make your own comparisons We'd like nothing better

But we warn you that everyone who sees Rock Ridge becomes a salesman for it

You want to live in the choicest residence section of this fast growing community Today you can get a lovely home site in Rock Ridge at original prices and on easy terms Soon it will be the remaining third in gold you'll have to pay a profit to a man who had more foresight than you The enormous profits made in Piedmont and Claremont were made by first purchasers and it will be the same in Rock Ridge

Buy today at $15 to $20 a foot and you will make money whether you're ready to build this wellrestricted home park

Take the College avenue car, ride through the tunnel, get off at Lawton and walk one block to the Broadway entrance

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All advertisers should retain counter checks given, as no mistake will be rectified without presentation of these receipts.

No orders recognized for advertisement for insertion "Till Forbid," THE TRIBUNE does not guarantee the insertion of all advertisements in early mail editions.

No charge made for box rental to patrons answering advertisements requesting answers to certain box numbers.

Special Notice

Patrons of THE TRIBUNE are particularly cautioned against paying money in advance for any advertising to be placed in THE TRIBUNE unless solicitors can produce written authorization from the Business Manager.

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING CO.

Answers to Advertisements

Persons holding checks for the following uncalled-for answers to advertisements for the week ending December 31, can get the same by calling at this office within 7 days. Ask for advertised letters.

MAIN OFFICE.

2738	2730	2743	2757
2774	2798	6015	6062
6249	6250	6274	6285
6734	6789	6790	6799

BROADWAY BRANCH OFFICE.

Uncalled for letters, Branch Office TRIBUNE, 1068 Broadway:

B-808	B-812	B-827	B-868
B-882			

LOST AND FOUND

If you lose anything, advertise it here. It will be returned to you by an honest persons finds it. Remarkable recoveries are brought about every day through this column.

THE TRIBUNE, Offices —Eighth and Franklin and 1068 Broadway

The Law.—Section 485, Penal Code of California, is strict in requiring finders of lost property to seek the owners through advertisement and otherwise, and failure to do so, if it can be proven, involves a severe penalty.

LOST—Dec. 30, 1910, a five-pointed star attached to a short chain, no value except as a keepsake, bet. Alameda and Santa Clara ave., on way to Oakland. Return to Schneider's Art Store, 1435 Park st., Alameda, and receive reward.

LOST—In Piedmont, Airedale terrier; color, black and tan; size, large; name plate on collar. A. A. Moore Jr., Crocker and Ulloa aves., Piedmont; phone Piedmont 2695; reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch with "O. L. S." fob, Saturday evening on or near Piedmont ave. and 40th st., or on car; valued as keepsake. Return 4208 Howe st., Oakland; reward.

LOST—Black shepherd dog; license No. 111; answers to name of "Nip"; reward for information, dead or alive. 1010 7th ave., East Oakland.

LOST—Silver Leveller set with amethyst and rhinestones, Thursday evening; Lakeside district. Please return 1387 Alice st., reward.

LOST—Gold charm, mon. O. V. E., name L. P. Baumann. Leave at 115 San Pablo ave. and receive reward.

LOST—Gold chain and cross marked "Sybil"; liberal reward. 79 Hamilton place.

LOST—Lady's purse containing sum of money; liberal reward. Return 971 E. 27th.

LOST—On Lakeshore ave., small coral clasp pin; reward. Phone Piedmont 3057.

LOST—Ladies' open faced watch, initials M. M., and gold fob; reward. Merritt 8554.

LOST—In Lakeside district, baby pillow in box. Return 108 Lake st.; reward.

LOST—Small bay mare and small spring wagon. Phone Berkeley 1778.

LOST—Lady's purse, Jan. 1, containing money; reward. Phone Elmhurst 188.

LOST—Cocker spaniel, license No. 2239. Return to Wagner Apts., Apt. F.

PERSONALS

A merchant would not think a woman very wise if she purchased a yard less silk for a gown than she needed—even if it were very fine silk. Nor is the merchant wise to purchase a column less advertising space than he needs, even if it is very fine advertising space—and costly.

ANY poor girl in need of a friend, a home or advice, is invited to call or write the matron of The Salvation Army Home, Beulah Heights, Cal.; phone Merritt 8821.

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PALMIST AND HEALER.

PSYCHIC INSTITUTE,
813 12TH ST., OAKLAND.

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Your PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE revealed as though seen with the naked eye. NAMES, DATES, FACTS AND FIGURES given in all cases; love, business, changes, investments, law suits and all affairs of life advised upon. NO MONEY IN ADVANCE and NONE ACCEPTED UNLESS THE UTMOST SATISFACTION IS GIVEN. If in need of help of any kind consult this GIFTED MAN. All kinds of sickness diagnosed free of charge. Bring this notice for special reading. Hours, 10 to 8, Sundays 1 to 8.
PSYCHIC INSTITUTE, 813 12TH ST.

CHANGE OF LOCATION.
The Spirella Corset Parlors have been moved from 606 14th st. to 578 16th st., corner Jefferson, where the lady manager, Mesdames Andrews and Young, will fill orders and give satisfaction to their customers.

ELDERLY lady, widow, no children, good cook, wants husband; good morals, good home. Call or address Corinne, 1569 Grove st.

FOR RENT—Desirable corner rooms suitable physician or dentist. 72 San Pablo.

GENTLEMEN'S mending neatly done at 114 3d st., room 87, San Francisco.

GAS Consumers' Association reduces your bill 15% to 30%. 358 12th st.

HEIRS wanted at once; 50,000 estates seeking claimants; you may be one; facts in booklet 81; send 2c stamp. International Claim Agency, Pittsburg, Pa.

LADIES—When delayed or irregular use Triumph Pills; always dependable; "relief" and particulars free. Write National Medical Institute, Milwaukee, Wis.

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L. S. CLARK, Attorney-at-Law, 851 Jackson st.—Consultation free; open evenings.

MARRIAGE paper, containing descriptions, refined marriageable people, many with means, mailed, sealed, free. Address, Mrs. Bell, 1815 Magnolia ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

MIDDLE-AGED widow, New Englander, lonely, would meet intelligent American gentleman, between 50 and 60 with home; Theosophist preferred. Box 2897, Tribune.

My wife, having left my bed and board, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her after this date, Jan. 6, 1911. (Signed) MR. H. E. MEYER.

WONDERFUL revelations — Send birthdate, three questions, stamp, dime for book, "Your Future Revealed;" reading free; I will surprise you. Yogi Khadila, Box 818, Denver, Colo.

WEALTHY manufacturer, 65, would marry; confidential. V, Box 35, League, Toledo, Ohio.

MME. DE SALONIKA, clairvoyant, card reader; 25c, 50c. 817 Clay st.

MASSAGE treatment. 469½ 9th st., room 4; Kittie Haskell.

HELP WANTED—MALE

A LARGE mercantile house in Oakland desires a bright young man between 16 and 22, with high school education, who is familiar with and has had experience in shipping and billing. Apply in own hand writing, stating age, education, previous experience and salary expected to start with, etc. Box B-606, Tribune.

AUTOMOBILE engineering taught. Call or write Motor Engineering Schools, cor. 57th and Adeline st., Oakland.

A BOY to work in job press-room to learn business. Apply job pressroom, Tribune.

FOR BOYS WITH BICYCLES FOR MESSENGER SERVICE; $1 PER DAY GUARANTEED. WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO., 1062 BROADWAY.

FIVE boys with wheels, $30 to $50 per month. 528 9th st.

I WILL start you in the mirror business; best paying trade of today; famous French method; home work; spare time; no capital; $5 to $12 daily; let me prove it; free particulars. Corey, Dept. 64, Omaha, Neb.

I WILL start you earning $4 daily at home in spare time, silvering mirrors; no capital; free instructive booklet, giving plans of operation. G. F. Redmond, Dept. 95, Boston, Mass.

MEN wanted, age 18-35, for firemen, $100 monthly, and brakemen, $50, on nearby railroads; experience unnecessary; no strike; positions guaranteed competent men; promotion; railroad employing headquarters; over 500 men sent to positions monthly; state age; send stamp. Railway Association, care Tribune.

MEN may earn good pay copying addresses, etc., at home in spare time; particulars free. C. H. Rowan, Dept. 5, Chicago.

MEN and women wanted to feed Manhattan Stock Poultry Food, Red Ball Brand.

ORGANIZERS and solicitors of good address; experience not necessary. Call room 295, Bacon Bldg.

SPACE for tailor in well established cleaning and dyeing works, located in business center of Oakland; all repair work turned over to tailor. 569 13th st.

THREE solicitors to fill crew. Mail Monday a.m., 1310 Grove.

VISIT the glassblowers at 872 Broadway; they are blowing glass from 1 p. m. to 10 p. m. daily. 872 Broadway.

WANTED—First class man to travel in the largest cities in Oregon and Washington with a new and up-to-date exclusive Calendar line. Address Box 2885, Tribune.

WANTED—An experienced salesman to represent a line of sweaters and fancy knit goods for the coast. Chas. H. Lovett & Co., 312 Church st., New York city.

WANTED—Steady, reliable man with $25; experience unnecessary; wages $3 day; answer quick. Box 2821, Tribune.

WANTED—A young man going to college or high school to work in the evening, only. Box 2884, Tribune.

WANTED—Oakland driver for laundry. Address 2241 Shattuck ave., Berkeley.

WANTED—Experienced solicitors. Call Booklovers Library, 412 12th st.

YOUNG men wanted to investigate Y. M. C. A. Employment Department, 21st and Telegraph; cost small, benefits many.

$15 MONTHLY and expenses to travel and distribute samples for big manufacturer, steady work. S. Scheffer, Assignee, F 17, Chicago.

$25 WEEKLY and expenses to trustworthy people to travel and distribute samples for big wholesale house. C. H. Peery, M 117, Chicago.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

A YOUNG girl to assist in general housework; must go home nights; no cooking; small family; wages $20. Apply Monday, 316 Jayne ave., near Perkins street.

A—WANTED—Girl, assist light housekeeping; easy place, good home, for girl party 2055 San Jose av., Alameda.

APPRENTICE wanted at Cosgrove's Hair Store, 2312 Telegraph ave., Berkeley.

AN elderly lady to help with housework; good home, small pay. Box 2576, Tribune.

COMPETENT help wanted. Mrs. Nelson's Employment Agency, 1256 Broadway; phones Oakland 1845, A 5684.

DON'T fail to visit the glassblowers' glass-blowing exhibition; is free to our patrons. 872 Broadway.

EXPERIENCED salesladies for lace and dress trimming department. Apply superintendent H. C. Capwell Co., Oakland.

EXPERIENCED salesladies for millinery department for coming season. Apply superintendent H. C. Capwell Co., Oakland.

WANT ADS

Are small, but effective. They are the open door to many large and profitable investments.

Dollars Pour in a Stream

As a result of the honest and conscientious exploitation of hundreds of legitimate propositions in the Classified columns of the newspaper with the

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

EXPERIENCED lady presser; good salary, good position. John F. Snow Co. Dye Works, 47th and Grove, Oakland.

GIRL not under 14 to take care of baby 18 months old and assist in good home; wages $10. 563 Hobart st.

GIRL for cooking and general housework. 136 Santa Clara ave., Oakland.

GIRL wanted to learn banding cigars. Nelson Cigar Co., 1424 Chestnut.

LADIES, learn hairdressing at California College of Hairdressing and Beauty Culture; diplomas and formulas given; individual instruction. 967½ Market st., bet. 5th and 6th, San Francisco.

LADIES, make supporters; $12 per hundred; no canvassing; material furnished; stamped envelope for particulars. Roberts & Co., Dept. G 13, Chicago.

TWO cooks, $40; second girl, $30, one $36; waitresses, chambermaids, practical nurse, girl for country, Woman's Employment Exchange, 1256 Broadway; phones A 4953, Oakland 3359.

WANTED—We have a permanent position for a woman with energy, ambition and a willingness to work; business experience unnecessary; thorough training given. Apply by mail, Oakland Vinyl Co., 822 Central Bank Bldg., Oakland, Cal.

WANTED—A man and a woman to do light work for expenses and board through rainy season on a promising proposition in the Redwoods. Box 2830, Tribune.

WANTED—Window girl, young, clever, able to hold a crowd. Apply 1067 Grove st. corner 12th, Sunday until 3 o'clock, or to Brittain & Co., 8th and Broadway.

WANTED—Steady, experienced saleslady in bakery; good salary; 3 days' work. Address, stating former employment, Box 2865, Tribune.

WOMAN wants respectable girl or woman as companion; will treat as one of family; no wages, good home. Phone Piedmont 1158.

WANTED—Quiet elderly woman for general housework; family of two; good home; small wages. Box B-602, Tribune.

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper, with knowledge of shorthand and typewriting, for retail store. Box B-611, Tribune.

WANTED—Competent cook. Call 62 Bayo Vista ave., Linda Vista, Oakland (take Oakland ave. car), or phone Piedmont 61.

WANTED—Woman or girl for general housework; small family; good home, fair salary. 2231 Carlton, Berkeley.

WANTED—A woman to do cooking and some housework; wages $25. Apply at 1506 Prince st., South Berkeley.

WANTED—Girl for light general housework. Call 265 Santa Clara today or mornings; phone Oakland 5020.

WANTED—A girl for general housework; wages $30. 311 Jayne ave., bet. Lee and Perkins, Vernon Heights.

WANTED—General housework girl; reference; 2 in family, $30. Phone Monday morning, Piedmont 3856.

WANTED—Girl for cooking and general housework, wages $35; references. Phone Piedmont 2750.

WANT girl or woman for general housework; good home; $15 month. Phone Piedmont 3814.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 585 Walsworth ave.; phone Piedmont 2973.

WANTED—A girl for cooking and housework, references. 1674 Valdez st., near 24th.

WAITRESS wanted at Eagle Oyster Grotto and Chop House, 629 Castro st.

WANTED—Neat, reliable girl to assist with housework and baby. 1676 2d ave.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 809 Walker ave.; phone Oakland 2821.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 480 Orchard st.

YOUNG girl or woman to do light housework, 3 adults. Apply 2448 Ardley ave., near 35th st.

YOUNG girl to assist housework; 2 in family $12. Phone Oakland 8468.

YOUNG woman for general housework; small washing. 1629 Magnolia st.

YOUNG men wanted to investigate Y. M. C. A. Employment Department, 21st and Telegraph; cost small, benefits many.

$15 MONTHLY and expenses to travel and distribute samples for big manufacturer, steady work. S. Scheffer, Assignee, F 17, Chicago.

$25 WEEKLY and expenses to trustworthy people to travel and distribute samples for big wholesale house. C. H. Peery, M 117, Chicago.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE (Continued)

FOR reliable Chinese or Japanese help, phone Oakland 4926 or A 5638.

JAPANESE school boy wants position in Oakland; good cook; going to school. Henry L., 260 8th st., Oakland; phone Oakland 5061.

JAPANESE couple wants position, man as cook and washing, wife at second work; has reference. Phone Oakland 8755.

JAPANESE cook wants situation, hotel or boarding house. Box 281, Tribune.

JAPANESE, first-class cook, wishes position in family. Box 2885, Tribune.

LANDSCAPE gardener wants situation; experience and ability; best reference. Box B-610, Tribune.

PAINTING, tinting, varnishing, etc., done by day or contract. Phones Merritt 3586 or B 1814.

STRONG young man wants job or any kind of garden work; capable to take charge of automobile. Box 2972, Tribune.

TWO handy men, strictly temperate, wishes steady position. Box 2979, Tribune.

WORK wanted by handy man, married, reliable; good horseman; age 30. Box B-755, Tribune.

WANTED—Carpenter work; good work; $2.50 per day. P. O. box 30, Oakland.

WANTED—Painting or roofing, shingling at $2.50 day. Box 2861, Tribune.

YOUNG man wishes place to work for room and board while attending college. Address 306 12th st.; phone Oakland 3468.

YOUNG man with considerable experience at carpentery; would like shop or building work. Box 2968, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

A YOUNG woman wants chamber work in a hotel; $30 or $35 a month; experienced. Call up Hamilton Hotel, Home phone, Mrs. May Rich, room 45.

A YOUNG girl would like a position to assist in light housework. Call or write to M. R., 3660 Lincoln ave., Fruitvale.

A REFINED young widow wishes a position as housekeeper or companion. Oakland or San Francisco. Phone Piedmont 5026.

AT the glassblowers, beautiful and antique designs are made before the people; all their goods on sale. 872 Broadway.

A COLORED woman wants day work, Tuesdays and Wednesdays; good laundresses. Phone Oakland 6488.

A YOUNG Danish girl wishes position at second work. Address 740 Peralta st.; phone Piedmont 4298.

A GIRL going to Lafayette wishes position for board, and sister to board 860 Clay; phone A 2040.

A GOOD competent German wishes position for cooking and housework; wages $25. Box 2948, Tribune.

A HOME for widow (47); no wages, write particulars; can't pay carfare. Box B-753, Tribune.

AMERICAN lady, light housework, adults; good home, wages $35; salary $15. 432 9th st.

AAA—COMPETENT woman wishes position as child's nurse, references. Box 2873, Tribune.

A LADY wishes washing and ironing, 50c pair. 619 Magnolia st.

COMPETENT cooks, general housework girls and reliable women for day work. The Success, 1004 Broadway; phone Oakland 727.

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CASHIER—Young woman wants position as cashier or clerical work; references. Box 2851, Tribune.

COMPETENT woman wishes cooking or general housework. Phone Oak. 2064, wages $20.

COLORED lady would like laundry work or janitor work. Home phone A-4566.

DRESSMAKER would like few more engagements by day or will take work home. 1074 18th st., phone Oakland 6192, A 2443.

ELDERLY lady wishes position as housekeeper for widower, with a couple of small children or with invalid, or tailing charge of a rooming-house. Address 490 26th st., Oakland, or phone Oakland 6280.

EASTERN lady wishes position as cook; thoroughly competent. S. Howe, R. F. D. 1, Box 2A, care of A. W. Lee, West Berkeley; phones Merritt 4 or B 1938.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaker by the day; best of reference. Call Sunday or evenings. Phone Oak. 3532.

FIRST-CLASS dressmaker by the day or at home. Phone Oakland 7

FOR reliable colored help phone Oakland 4926 or A 5688.

GERMAN dressmaker, plain sewing, wants work by the day, $1.50 a day. Mrs. Appleson, 8 St. Georgia Court, 18th st., near 3d ave.

MIDDLE-AGED woman, good plain cook; also nurse. 361 10th st., Oakland, Cal.

NICE Japanese lady wants to work in small and good family. 5 Sycamore st., Oakland, phone Oakland 6617.

NORWEGIAN girl wants position as cook and general housework. Phone Piedmont 1542.

PRACTICAL experienced nurse wishes engagements in confinemen cases; also chronic and mental; physicians' references; will go anywhere in this county or San Francisco; terms moderate. Box 2844, Tribune.

POSITION wanted—Chinese cook with best references wishes position in private family. Sam Sing, 00 Webster st.; phone Oakland 5804.

PARTY gowns and dresses made, reasonable; dresses made over, latest styles. 878 24th st., near San Pablo.

PLAIN family washing done reasonable. Inquire 966 West st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

RESPECTABLE girl wishes position for care of children and light housework. 1075 Summer st., near 40th and San Pablo; phone Piedmont 1109.

RELIABLE woman, good worker, with girl 9 years, desires position; small wages and good home. Box 2825, Tribune.

SITUATION as housekeeper by a young lady; references furnished. Address Box 151, Elmhurst, care W. J. R.

SITUATION wanted by first-class cook in private family. Address 3566 Maine st., Fruitvale; phone Merritt 2977.

SWEDISH girl wishes position in small private family at general housework. 1441 Myrtle st.

WANTED—Position as pianiste and accompanist by sight-reader; orchestra work preferred. Address 1973 Hastings st., Fruitvale; phone Merritt 3874.

WANTED—Position as working housekeeper or general housework by capable New England woman. Mrs. Somers, Fruitvale P. O.

WASHING and cleaning Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, $1.75 per day and car fare. 324 15th st., r. 26.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper, small family adults. Address 1279 5th ave.; phone Merritt 4152.

WANTED—By a competent woman, laundry work by the day. Phone Oakland 7311.

YOUNG Scandinavian girl wishes situation general housework. In or near Fruitvale. Please call at 2630 Boulevard ave., Fruitvale.

YOUNG woman, experienced typist, desires work of some kind to do at home; reasonable rates. Box 2938, Tribune.

YOUNG woman to do washing, ironing, house work by the day. Mrs. L., 568 19th st., phone A-4768.

YOUNG woman would like position to care for child; will furnish references. Box 2945, Tribune.

YOUNG lady cashbier desires position; 3 years' experience; references. Box 2847, Tribune.

YOUNG girl would like position at light housework. H. Lindquist, Elmhurst P. O.

5096 TELEGRAPH AVE.—Day work, washing or cleaning. Phone H 6547, Oakland.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS—Sunlight at night; our incandescent kerosene mantle burners fit all lamps; burn with or without mantle; appeal to all using lamps, prices defy competition, particulars free. Simplex Gaslight Co., 23 Park Row, New York.

AGENTS—Improved specialty for automobile owners; quick seller; big profits; illustrated booklets. Write today. Sullivan Specialty Co., 645 Wall st., Los Angeles, Cal.

AGENTS make big money selling auto specialty; $100 to $300 a month or more easily made; write today. Wilson Mfg. Co., 116 12th st., Oakland, Cal.

AGENTS, dealers—Great seller; No-Nicotine pipe, 100 per cent profit; sample 15c. Barrett, 294 E. 124th st., New York.

CHEWING GUM—Sell our new brands to dealers in your town. We also make special private brands; also Premium and Movie Gums. Helmet Gum Factory, Cincinnati.

WANTED—Distributing agents to distribute our samples; $2 per 100, paid Saturday night; reply. Crown Mfg. Co., Station G, Washington, D. C.

WANTED AGENTS—Legitimate salesmen to sell our machines; patented; sells on sight for $1; particulars. Gisha Co., Anderson, Ind.

SALESMEN—SOLICITORS

IF you have the ability to sell oil stock it will pay you to write F. L. Burr, 29 Bacon Bldg., Oakland, Cal.

WANTED—Traveling salesmen; earn $1000 to $2500 a month while learning practical salesmanship; write Dodds for list of positions now open paying $1000 to $5000 a year and particulars about how to get one of them; no experience required. Address nearest office, Dept. 48, National Salesmen's Training Association, Chicago, New York, Kansas City, Seattle, New Orleans.

WANTED—First-class salesman for Pacific Coast to sell staple line on new and exceptional terms; one having successful specialty experience preferred; attractive contract for 1911, containing liberal weekly advance clause; references. Miles F. Bixler Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—Salesmen of ability and neat appearance to call on all merchants in their territory; elegant side line, convenient to carry; good commissions; prompt remittance. A-5, Belmont Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—2 salesmen; clean, goodworkers; good pay; best thing on coast. 600 14th st., cor. of Jefferson.

MOVING AND STORAGE

AAA—PEOPLE'S EXPRESS CO.—The best teams and service in the city; large, well-padded vans; furniture moved, packed, store or shipped. 413-418 9th st.; phones Oak. 4447, A 2144.

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OF COURSE.
1079 Broadway, near 12th st.

COOK-MORGAN Storing and Moving Co.—Furniture, pianos, merchandise, packing and shipping. Office, 503 14th st.; phone Oakland 3235.

FURNITURE stored in separate rooms at reasonable prices. Porter, 1016 Broadway; phone Oakland 1900.

LYON STORAGE AND MOVING CO.—Packing and shipping. 437 14th st.; phones Oakland 2071; Home A-2071.

PRESCOTT Van and Storage Co.—Separate compartment; hauling free. Office, 1115 22d ave; Merritt 481, B 1144.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

A BIG saving is made in purchasing home-made safes and vaults; factory and salesroom, 5th and Chestnut sts., Oakland; also store at 233 California st., San Francisco. WALTZ SAFE AND LOCK CO.

A GENT'S elegant black overcoat, silk lined, velvet collar, $7.50; blue serge suit, nearly new, $7.50, size 40. Phone Oakland 7643.

AA—CHOICE pedigreed cocker spaniel puppies, all colors; reasonable; male or female. Dennison Kennels, 319 13th st.

AA—MEN'S, ladies', children's clothing bought and sold. Mrs. Evans, 518 8th st.; phones Oakland 2519, A 2046.

A—FAT MAN'S STORE—Large sizes in shirts and underwear. 1234 Broadway.

A BREEDING pen, Buff Orpingtons, 8 hens and cock. Phone Oakland 4951.

A FINE York fox terrier bitch. Kane's Livery Stable, 1856 Grove st.

A 9x12 rug, $6.50, at H. Schellhaas', 11th st. at Franklin, Oakland.

BIG 6 sox; 6 pair wear 6 months; $1. Litholin waterproof linen collars, 25c. Tom Ronald, 1234 Broadway.

BUFF Orpington, Rhode Island red barred and White Rock cockerels; also laying white Leghorn and barred Rock pullets. C. E. Brandan, 3225 Redwood road; take East 14th st. car, transfer Lieseve. to Porter.

BUFF ORPINGTON, White Rocks, Houdans and Columbian Wyandotte pullets, 500 incubator, Paradise brooder, cap. 400 chicks. Stanfield, 3301 E. 14th st., Fruitvale.

BEST of mattresses, new, at H. Schellhaas' furniture sale. 11th st., at Franklin, Oakland.

BLACK ORPINGTON eggs for setting. 240 Locksley ave., off Hudson; College car.

CHRISTMAS bicycles and motorcycles from $20 up; accessories of all kinds. F. M. Jones, the racycle man, 204 Telegraph ave., near 18th st. Al Meyer, Mgr.; open evenings for the holidays.

Fixtures For Sale

Grocery counter, shelving, truck and 2 office desks for sale at 369 12th; phones Oakland 2641, A 1433.

FINE Black Minorca cock, two cockerels, one cockerel; heavy laying train; White Leghorn eggs for hatching. W. E. Bunger, 2285 Ardley st., East Oakland; Merritt 9290.

FOR SALE—A large golden oak double flat top desk, 48x60 in., a half price; good as new. Inquire at 280 Bacon Block; or phone Piedmont 4236.

FINE three-quarter violin, worth $35, for $12; also fine hand-made violin for half price. Anderson, 2301 Durant ave.; phone Berkeley 203.

FOR SALE—A good strong rowboat, in first-class condition; want to sell at once; $8. Apply Box 2945, Tribune.

FOR SALE or exchange a fine indestructible trunk and Russian house wrap; what have you? Box 2840, Tribune.

FOR SALE—8 doz. White Leghorn pullets, just beginning to lay, $8 doz. Phones Oakland 2183, A 2987.

FINE white Leghorn breeding cockerels; also Cypher 144-egg incubator for sale. 3818 Rhoda ave.

FOR SALE, cheap, barn to be removed; 22d st. and 23d ave. Owner, 1168R 22d street.

FOR SALE—Oliver typewriter, No. 5, almost new. 868 20th st., near Market.

FOR SALE—10 fine white Orpingtons; bargain. 1518 Walnut st., Berkeley.

FOR SALE—Office desk, good condition. Address 2512 Regent st., Berkeley.

FRESH cow, 20 quarts, $60. 2420 Isabella st., Melrose; Leona Heights car.

FINE upright piano in excellent condition; $100 cash. 1164 Alice st.

GENT'S wheel for sale or trade, cheap. 614 Telegraph; Oakland 7748.

JERSEY cow, good milker, $60. J. Petersen, County line and Stonange ave., back of Lendrigan saloon.

MALTESE terrier or Chihuahua with pedigree, $15. Phone Merritt 1498.

NATIONAL cash registers, almost new, at one-third of company prices; save your money; counters, coffee mill, large line of showcases at remarkably low prices. See the Oakland Auction Co., 359-361-363 13th st., near Franklin.

ONE fox terrier and one brindle bull pup for sale cheap if taken at once. Phone Piedmont 5323.

OAK POUND, 26th and Peralta; hunting, house dogs. Phones Oakland 893, A 1028.

OFFICE desk, half price; table top 49x81; solid oak. Phone Pied. 2279.

PEDIGREED orange and white collie (male); $20 if sold at once. 688 33d st.; phone Piedmont 2022.

RHODE ISLAND RED eggs for hatching. $7 61st st.; phone Pied. 4709.

SECOND-HAND lumber, doors, windows and firewood; also 8-room cottage at a bargain to be removed. Corner 9th and Franklin sts.

SECOND-HAND lumber, doors, windows and fire wood. 17th and Market; phone Piedmont 8507.

SECOND-HAND lumber, good as new, doors, windows and wood for sale. 2d and Alice.

SOME fine ladies' clothing, size 36, sale cheap. 1140 Myrtle st.

THE finest Belgian hares that grow at 2452 San Pablo ave., near Dwight way.

TWO first-class fresh cows. 1245 Berkeley way.

WILL sell or exchange $5 Washburn guitar for $25 or for good camera with full equipment. Box 282, Tribune.

26-FOOT MOTOR BOAT.

The best boat and engine outfit ever offered for $275; mahogany finish, polished brass fittings, auto steer, copper gasoline tank. Write now for descriptive booklet, sales agents wanted. Rice Brothers Company, dept. P., East Boothbay, Maine.

$125 IMPORTED white lace evening gown; will send its if will to remodeling bust 36; sell for $50; also man tailored suit cheap. Box 827, Tribune.

15,000 FEET secondhand lumber, flooring, rustic, 2x8s and 2x4s; also siding; $10 per M. Fortin, 14th and Washington.

23-FOOT semi-speed launch, fully equipped. Wm. Ramos, 3700 Market.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

A—Highest Price

GOOD cast-off clothing and shoes. Ring up Oakland 6793, or write, will call at once. Uncle Jake, 824 Washington.

AAA—ALL kinds of second hand clothing bought and sold. J. Adler, 530 8th st.; phones Oakland 6457, A 2034.

WANTED—Second-hand bicycle; must be reasonable. Phone A 613.

DON'T sell your household goods until you see J. Coleman, 812 13th st., where you will realize more for it. Phone Oakland 3265.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more for your furniture and household goods than anyone else; see Scheffer, J. A. Munro & Co., 1097 Clay st., Oakland, phone Oakland 467; 911 Phelan Bldg., S. F., phone Douglas 641.

IF you must have the most money for your furniture, merchandise, etc., call up Oakland Auction Co., Vessel & Meysel, auctioneers; they will pay you the cash or sell on commission. 359-363 13th st., near Franklin; phones Oakland 4479, Home A-4479.

IF you want to sell your furniture or household goods for highest cash prices, see Charles Lock, 859 Clay st.; phones Oakland 6583, Home A-3501.

I WANT to buy some acreage near Hayward. Box 2815, Tribune.

GUM WOOD or live oak wanted in cord lengths; state price delivered in East Oakland. D. D., Box 2839, Tribune.

SPOT cash for oil painting; amateur or professional canvases. Harry Kothler, 634 14th st.

WANTED—To exchange, first-class wire and top mattresses for good second-hand furniture at H. Schellhaas', 11th st. at Franklin.

WANTED—Good second-hand furniture at H. Schellhaas', 11th st. at Franklin. Phone Oak 1525 or Home A 1525.

WANTED—Responsible parties to care for valuable bull pup for sale or private family. Box B-753, Tribune.

WHAT will you exchange for typewriter; cost $100? Box B-762, Tribune.

WANTED—Phonograph and records; will pay cash. Box 2862, Tribune.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

WANTED—Fireproof safe; state price and size. Box 2860, Tribune.

WANTED—Second-hand incubator. Phone Pied. 4799.

500 TO 1000 lbs. ten lead or good clean pipe cuttings wanted. Tribune office, 8th and Franklin sts.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

BARN to let. 1260 Kirkham st.

FOR RENT—Garage and stable, cheap. 585 33d st.

BUSINESS CHANCES

A POSITION of trust is open for a young or middle-aged gentleman with an established manufacturing company in Oakland; party must be trustworthy and furnish references, also be in a position to invest $1000, money to be secured with privilege of withdrawing same if work is not agreeable to applicant. This is an exceptional opportunity for a young man to secure connections with a manufacturing company whereby interest in the business and liberal salary will give a good income. For personal interview write at once. Box 2977, Tribune.

A GROCERY store, desirable corner, for sale; reasonable. Call 14th and Adeline.

BRANCH bakery, candy and ice cream parlor; first-class location for delicatessen or coffee parlor. 1368 5th ave., near 18th st., East Oakland.

ELEGANT new apartment house to lease, automatic elevator and heater. Apply 127 Telegraph ave., apt. 302.

FOR business opportunities, grocery stores, hotels, rooming-houses, restaurants, etc., choice locations; no charge for listing. Macklin, room 9, 1219 Broadway; phone A 4055.

FEED and fuel business, in one of the best locations of Oakland, having a fine trade; also a lot in Cragmont, North Berkeley. Call or address 812 56th st.

LIVERY, hack and boarding stable; best stand in Oakland; owner must go north at once. Box 2792, Tribune.

MAN with about $100 cash, to take interest in exchange department in first-class real estate office; large list of property; advice and assistance given. Apply 1110 Clay st., between 12th and 13th sts., United Realty Co.

ONE-ROOM building for store or office, with a flat of 4 small rooms, partly furnished. 216 11th st., opp. Lincoln School.

RESTAURANT, finest equipped in Oakland, will sell whole or half interest or lease to reliable party who has money to buy supplies on hand and pay three months' rent; owner does not understand the business. Phone A 1570.

To the Man

WHO will handle this properly the chance of a lifetime; fine 48-room apartment house, elegantly furnished; lease and furniture for sale; modern elevator; steam heat; central; price $5400; $3000 will handle, balance $100 per month; absolutely cleared $258 last month; responsible parties only. Box 6770, Tribune.

THREE to five thousand dollars to invest with services of mature business man in thoroughly established business in Oakland; no agents or Sunday businesses noticed; give nature of business offered. Box 2957, Tribune.

W. L. Mitchener & Co.

233 Bacon Block, Phone O. 8188.

$1300—Grocery; will invoice at $2000.
$2000—Pool and billiard parlor cigar stand.
$600—Cigar stand; swell location.
$500—Wood and coal, hay and grain.
$1000—Restaurant business; $100 per day.
$200—Grocery and 6 living rooms.
$800—Country hotel and bar; snap.
See us for any kind of a business snap. List with us.

$25 weekly and house rent free; want steady man as partner to take charge of chicken ranch, will st

MEDICAL

AAA—DR. BRINK

517 22d st., near Telegraph ave., Oakland. SPECIALIST FOR WOMEN.

LADIES—If you are suffering from any ailment peculiar to your sex or in trouble and worried about your condition, consult a physician who is always successful and who guarantees immediate results without detention from home or work.

His offices are well appointed, strictly private and equipped with the most modern appliances essential to the proper treatment of women. His fees are very moderate and his advice absolutely free. Private sanitarium with trained nurses when required. Hours 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays 10 to 2. Phone Oakland 7901.

ATTENTION LADIES—Dr. Hicks, 936 Market st., bet. 5th and 6th., S. F.; women only; no delays or disappointment; relief guaranteed; painless method; most obstinate cases treated; all female complaints and irregularities treated; absolutely harmless; low fees; by consulting specialist you save time and money; advice free; 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. and 6 to 9 p. m.; Sunday, 11 a. m. to 2 p. m.

AA—ST. MARGARET'S Maternity Home; confinement and adoption; all women's and children's diseases treated; free treatment every Wednesday, 9 to 11 a. m. 171 E. 14th st.

A—PRIVATE home before and during confinement; reasonable; adoption if desired; large grounds; home comforts. Mrs. E. Clarke, 563 21st., Oakland.

DR. ADAM LYONS, physician-surgeon, 63-68 Delger Block, Broadway and 14th, specializing genito-urinary diseases.

HOME for invalids aged people or convalescents; rates reasonable. Address 432 27th st., Oakland; phone Oakland 5026.

LADIES! Ask your druggist for Chichester's Pills, the Diamond brand, for 25 years known as the best, safest, always reliable; buy of your druggist; take no other. Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills are sold by druggists everywhere.

MME. E. SIMON, graduate midwife and electrician; private home for confinement; terms moderate; 12 to 8 p. m. 8220 Washington, Fruitvale; Merritt 167.

RHEUMATISM, sciatica, lumbago, locomotor ataxia, asthma and other lung troubles, and nervous diseases a specialty. L. F. Sternemann, M. T. D., 518 Jones; phone Oakland 4767 hours 5 to 8 p. m. daily; Sundays 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.; no drugs.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

DR. F. D'EVELYN—Office, 211 California st., San Francisco; phone West 1144; hours 1 to 3. Residence, 2108 Clinton ave., Alameda; phone Alameda 150; hours 9 to 10 a. m., 7 to 8 p. m.

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DR. F. A. LACEY, Osteopathy, Electro-Therapeutics. Oakland Bank Building, Broadway 12th; phone Oakland 3463.

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HAIR SPECIALISTS

SUPERFLUOUS hair painlessly removed by electric needle. Mrs. M. Moreau, 1065 Washington, Blake Block, room 69.

VALPEAU'S FEMALE PILLS

VALPEAU'S female pills are sure; best regulation pills sold; price $2.50 by express. Osgood's Drug Store, Oakland.

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CONSTIPATION is the forerunner of most acute and chronic diseases. HAVE YOU GOT IT? Our system effects a permanent cure, saving much suffering and many doctors' bills in the future. 1012 Telegraph; Oakland 7063. A 2629.

PIANOS FOR SALE

A SQUARE piano, $35, on installments, at H. Schellhaas' furniture sale, 11th st., Oakland.

A FINE new piano; must sell at once on account of sickness. 815 22d st.

FOR SALE—Concert Grand piano; price $500; cost over $1000; in perfect condition. Phone Oakland 2072.

PIANOLA for sale, $50; the latest model; Baldwin pianola and music, same as new, terms considered; a bargain; regular $250 player. Call 1801 Blake st.; phone B 8068.

MASSAGE

A—VERNA COLLINS—Finely equipped vapor-sulphur baths; one call means another. 7 Telegraph.

AA—MISS BELL LESLIE, alcohol, magnetic treatment. 512½ 8th st., room 7.

ALCOHOL magnetic treatments, hot tub baths open Sundays. 920 Bdwy., r. 5.

AAAA—ENID MAURICE, 418½ 12th st., room 1—Massage, alcohol treatments.

AA—Alcohol and vibratory massage. 469½ 9th st., room 4. Kittie Haskell.

BELL—Massage and medicated steam baths 929 Broadway, r. 1, late of S. F.

BATHS, scientific massage. 503A 12th st. Apt. 2.

BATHS and massage. 906 Washington, room 5.

BATHS and massage. Room 7, 1167 Jefferson st.

FLORENCE CUMMINGS—Cabinet baths, alcohol massage. 1226 Broadway, r. 4.

FRANKIE WILLIAMS, 7154 Market st., S. F.—Massage. Apt. 6, phone J 4126.

GENUINE Swedish massage; face, scalp treatment, manicuring by graduate Swedish nurse and masseuse. 1226 Broadway.

HOT salt water baths and massage; private; no sign. 419 15th st.

MISS THOMPSON and Miss May, manicuring, vibratory and alcohol massage, steam baths. Rooms 2 and 8, 295 Kearny, San Francisco.

MOVED from 215 O'Farrell to 120A O'Farrell, S. F.—Magnetic massage, scalp treatment. Apts. 3 and 4; Mrs. Robinson.

MRS. WM. GORDON, manicurist, shampooing, scalp treatment. 1162 Washington, room 4.

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MISS SEYMOUR, 830 Clay st., near 6th—Massage; open until 9:30 p. m., private.

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GRADUATE MASSEUR

ALBERT TRUEB — European trained masseur. Refers to Dr. Crowley, Dr. Bueteau and Dr. Hamlin. Phone Oakland 5734. Gives treatment at your home.

SPIRITUALISM

FOLLOW the crowd to Prof. Lee, 963½ Washington; circ. Sun., Tues. Fri.; 25c and 50c.

BILLS farewell test circle tonight. 614 Telegraph, Oakland 7548.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

FULL line of excellent top mattresses at H. Schellhaas', 428 11th st., Oak.

CLOSING out sale of the balance of the large stock of furniture, trunks, showcases, fixtures, hardware, granite and wooden ware, counters, etc.; must vacate February 1; these goods must be sold. 1540-1552 Broadway, at 21st st.

FURNITURE six-room flat complete for $125, if taken at once; going away sell corner, close in, rent $25. Phone Oak. 7128; $6 11th st.

FURNITURE at cut prices at H. Schellhaas' sale, 11th st., at Franklin, Oakland.

FURNITURE of 6-room flat for sale; flat for rent, cheap. 209 18th st.

LEAVING—Fine new rugs, leather Morris and dining chairs, table, grass beer, gas range; half price. 2169 35th ave.

NICELY furnished flat of seven rooms; close in; rent only $25; good bargain if taken soon. 614 Telegraph. Oak 7548.

$2 RUGS, 9x12, $2, $3, $4; French berbers and cheaper than matting; lace curtains 25c pair; live geese feather pillows, 75c; only one pair to each customer. Oakland Auction Co., 559-563 13th st., near Franklin.

PAY AND CONTRACT WORK

A—CORBETT & BAYLES, general contractors, jobbing, store fittings, 1114 Franklin; phones Merritt 2702; Oakland 2789.

ANY kind roofs repaired or painted. A. Hillmar, 506 E. 12th; drop postal card.

OAKLAND Marble Works, 717 7th st.; phones Oak. 8322, A 8293—Marble stone fronts, steps, counters, base boards, etc.

WANTED—OLD GOLD

HIGHEST prices paid for diamonds and old gold. Schoenfeld & Co., 38 San Pablo.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

A 6-ROOM bungalow in the best part of East Oakland; exceptional surroundings and on the car line. This is my home and am obliged to leave Oakland and will rent it furnished to the right parties. F. G. Prescott, 463 E. 24th st.; phone Merritt 3173.

A very elegantly furnished house 6 rooms and bath, hardwood dancing hall, for rent; moderate price; near Key Route and cars. 4155 Terrace; phone Piedmont 5362.

A COZY 5-room furnished cottage; bath, gas, electricity; block from Key Route; piano and sewing machine; all complete; rent reasonable. Call 810½ 64th st.

EIGHT large sunny rooms; steam heat; most desirable location; rent reasonable. 517 32d, just off Telegraph ave.

ELEGANTLY furnished in fumed oak, 7-room house; piano; near Piedmont station. Phone Piedmont 4676.

FURNISHED lower floor 3 large sunny rooms, newly tinted; yard; $18. 1307 Bonita, North Berkeley.

FURNISHED house, 8 rooms and bath; $18; close in. 163 10th st.

NICE 5-room cottage; furnished; high, healthy location; only $12.50. 3693 Redwood ave., Fruitvale.

NEWLY furnished 4-room bungalow. 1339 Stanage ave., Berkeley; phone Berkeley 4980.

PARTLY furnished home of 9 rooms, with modern improvements; large yard, summer house and fine garage; excellent location and convenient to Key Route stations; references required. Phone Piedmont 4289.

SUNNY furnished house of 6 rooms, all modern; rent reasonable; 164 6th st., near Madison. Apply 855 Washington.

SUNNY 6-room house, centrally located, near Key Route. Phone Oakland 4645.

TO LEASE—Furnished house; 2 stories, 7 rooms; modern; half block from Grove st.; rent $40. 1826 62d st., Berkeley; phone Piedmont 2721.

$30—SIX large sunny rooms, furnished; piano, bath, basement; lot 50 feet; close to cars and S. P. local. 1021 E. 17th st.; phone B 1089.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

5-ROOM cottage; 20 st; two barns. 939 35th st.

COTTAGE of 5 sunny rooms at 582 63d st., near Shattuck; rent $20.

FOR RENT — New 5-room modern bungalow, desirable location; only $25; nice furnishings for sale if desired. Apply, Real Estate company, 4054 Piedmont ave.; phones Pied. 1642; Home A-1642.

FOR RENT—Lowest ever to responsible parties, a homey house, on sunny corner, in Linda Vista; 8 rooms, bath, etc.; worth $50; can have it for $40. Address Box B-615, Tribune.

FOR RENT—$40.00; large 8-room house, $490; north side of Merrimac st.; close to Telegraph ave.; large barn. O. F. Lindberg, 1262 Broadway; phone Oak. 6822.

FOR RENT—Cottage, 4 rooms and bath, cement basement, near Key Route and S. P.; $16, water extra. 981 Rose st., Berkeley.

FOR RENT—8-room house and sleeping porch, bet. College and Telegraph; price $23.50. Address 2612 Regent st., Berkeley.

FIVE-ROOM modern, sunny bungalow; 1824 Valdez st., near 36th; rent $20. Owner, 494 26th st.; phone Oakland 6650.

FOR RENT—1438 84th st; 6-room cottage, sunny side street; 1 block Key Route; half block from street car; rent $15.

FOR RENT—Small house, $10; also barn, 868 Boyd ave. Owner, 260 Claremont.

LINDA VISTA TERRACE—7-room bungalow, with two extra rooms finished in the attic; large yard, summer house, garage, furnace heat; if tenants desire will furnish kitchen range, carpet and curtains throughout house in an excellent condition and must be seen to be appreciated. Phone Piedmont 4280.

MODERN cottage, 4 rooms and bath, near S. P. and Key Route; $15, water free. 6000 Genoa.

MODERN 5-room bungalow with garage, $23.50. Phones Piedmont 3104, Piedmont 810.

NEW, sunny 4-room cottage; grand view; veranda, outhouse; $16, with water. 5033 Peralta ave., Fruitvale; phone Merritt 1688.

SIX-ROOM cottage, on Madison st., between 7th and 8th., $3750, will trade for good auto. Phone Oakland 7014.

SUNNY cottage of 6 rooms, bath, 943 36th st. In good order; reasonable to good party; key, 947 36th st.

SEVEN-ROOM cottage; nice surroundings; electricity. Phone Piedmont 1183.

SUNNY 5-room cottage; reasonable. 1758 10th st.; open Sunday.

$18—COTTAGE, 6 rooms; gas, etc.; basement; barn; lot 38x180.

$15—New cottage, 4 rooms; ½-acre orchard.

$15—Cottage, 6 rooms; gas, electric lights.

$18—Cottage, 6 rooms; gas; electric lights.

$20—Residence, 6 rooms; corner; modern.

$8—Cottage, 3 rooms.

$15—Cottage, 4 rooms; large yard.

$23.50—New 6-room cottage; modern.

$24—Corner cottage; 6 rooms, modern.

RANDALL REAL ESTATE CO., 3126 Fruitvale Av.

$20—New classy modern sunny 5-room cottage; close to two car lines; 7-foot high floored basement; large lot and driveway. 1104 E. 23d st. John F. Reynders.

$25—6-ROOM house; choice location on 10th ave., near Franklin school and car lines. E. H. Woloh & Co., 5th ave. and E 15th st.

$27.50—SUNNY 6 rooms, perfect condition; 2 minutes to Key Route, central. R. M. Anthony, 478 14th st., phone Oakland 1050.

6-ROOM modern cottage, 3407 Lloyd st., Fruitvale. Call 3224 E. 14th st.

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET

A SNAP—A sunny upper furnished flat to let; every convenience. Apply at corner grocery, 1442 Webster and Santa Clara ave., Alameda.

ATTRACTIVE 5-room flat, handsomely furnished; reasonable. 1251 9th ave., corner E. 15th st.

A SUNNY 6-room corner upper flat, furnished. 730 19th st.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished 4-room apartment flat, opposite Idora Park; linen, silverware, piano, everything complete; $30 to $35. 5726 Telegraph ave.

BEAUTIFUL 4-room flat, nicely furnished, very sunny. Northeast cor. 21st and Grove.

FURNISHED flat, 4 rooms and bath, free phone; $22.50. 1505 Market st.; Oakland 4821.

LOWER flat, 3 sunny and modern rooms, furnished complete; rent $15 per month. Apply 1007 Filbert st., near 28th.

UNFURNISHED FLATS TO LET

A NEW, elegant flat, 5 rooms and large reception hall, bath, kitchen and sun room; one block from Key Route, 40th st. station. Apply 3515 Telegraph ave.

EASY walk to downtown; a very desirable, sunny, lower flat, newly tinted, varnished and painted, suitable for couple, rent reasonable to right party; gas, electricity, phone. 570 27th st., near Grove st. car.

Flat For Rent

Six rooms, modern in every respect; rent very reasonable; good location; a few minutes' walk from 14th and Broadway. Apply 1008 14th st.

FOR RENT—86 flats, $12 to $40 month; close in, and north, east, some big bargains, some swell places; don't waste time. Call United Realty Co., 1110 Clay st., between 12th and 13th.

FURNISHED modern flat; 5 rooms, fine location; also one single room, $6. 1371½ 8th st.

FINE modern upper flat, 7 rooms and bath; garage. 709 Grove st.

FOUR-ROOM upper sunny flat; modern; $18. 6874½ 31st st.

MODERN 4-room flat, 756 56th st., one block Key Route station; rent $17.50. Phone Piedmont 2285.

NEW, exceptionally fine upper flat; gas, electricity. 681 30th st., at Grove; phone Oakland 5403.

NICE flat 5 rooms, bath, pantry, close to car line; $15. 1314 12th ave.

SUNNY upper flat of 7 rooms at 762 16th st., in good order; will let cheap to good party. Key at 764 16th st.

UNFURNISHED FLATS TO LET (Continued)

SIX-ROOM sunny flat; all modern and up to date; 4 blocks from city hall. 719 17th st., between Castro and Brush. Apply 715 17th st.

UPPER flat 6 rooms and bath; sun in every room. 230 Walsworth, near 29th; Oakland ave. car.

UPPER flat of 6 rooms; new and sunny; close in; place for auto. 553 29th st.

$20—6-ROOM modern upper corner flat, on high ground, on 8th ave. car line; beautiful view; sun all day. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 15th st.

$10—UPPER 7-room flat, on 5th ave., near car lines and car barns; all in fine order. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 15th st.

931 PERALTA ST.—Sunny upper flat 5 rooms and bath; rent $20. Key at lower flat or phone owner, Oakland 5893.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

A LOVELY sunny bay-window front room in private home, $10; for gentleman; near S. P. and Key Route locals. 924 Filbert, or phone Oakland 3008.

At The Anwa

Just built; absolutely up-to-date; electricity, hot water, phone and call bells; 50c-$2 day; transient. 512A 18th st.

A LARGE furnished room for one or two persons; also single room; $10 per mo. 584 23rd st.

AA—Neatly furnished sunny room; private house; near 23d Key Route. 1609 Franklin st.

At St. George, Of Course

371 13th; $1.50 to $5 week; housekeeping.

AA—SUNNY rooms, $2 up; hot water, free baths; fine location. 572 16th st.

ALL new; large, front room for men; one or two beds. 587 13th st.

BEVERLY 958 Clay—Furn. rms., $2.50 week up; hot and cold water; transient.

FACING park, 3 minutes to S. P. locals and cars, 5 minutes to Broadway, sunny front bay-window room, with or without board. 168 9th st.; phone Oakland 6810.

FRONT suite, suitable for massage parlors; also other rooms. 466 10th st.

FURNISHED room 668 16th st.

HOME-LIKE furnished rooms, modern, from $2 up. 257 12th st., near Harrison.

LOVELY sunny room, use bath and phone; walking distance; private family; near Alice and 13th. Phone Oakland 4960.

LARGE front room; gas; bath; phone; piano; for 2 gentlemen. 169 10th st.

LARGE, sunny, partly furnished housekeeping room, $6. 1820 13th ave.

LARGE nicely furnished room in private home. 710 14th st., near Castro.

LARGE east room adjoining bath; near Narrow Gauge. 1364 Alice st.

NICE room; 1 or 2 gentlemen; private family; piano; as a home, no signs out. Apply 160 E. 14th st., bet. 3d and 4th aves.

NICELY furnished front; one block from car line; bath and electric lights; $2 a week. 651 22d st.

NICELY furnished front and back room; private family; phone; reasonable. 1373 Harrison.

NICELY furnished room for one or two gentlemen. 415 15th st.

ONE or two nicely furnished sunny front housekeeping rooms in private family; rent reasonable; fine location; near locals. 727 7th st., cor. Brush.

PLEASANT sunny front room for one or two; bath; telephone, close in; reasonable. 312 14th st.

SUNNY corner front room; also one housekeeping room; rent reasonable. 1151 Harrison, corner 18th st.

SUNNY front room; private family; bath. 770 11th st., Oakland, gentleman.

TWO or three nicely furnished sunny rooms in private, refined family in East Oakland; convenient to cars and local trains; with or without board; references required. 1454 24th ave., East Oakland.

THE VENICE, 3141½ San Pablo ave., two blocks from city hall—Nicely furnished rooms, from $2 up; phone A-4210.

TWO nicely furnished rooms; electric lights and bath; rent reasonable. 538 20th st.

LARGE, pleasant front rooms; gas range, grate, piano, bath, phone, laundry; near S. P.; reasonable. 916 Myrtle.

922 21ST st., opposite Y. M. C. A. new building—Elegantly furnished sunny front rooms for 1 or 2 gentlemen.

FOR 3 front room suites for housekeeping; well furnished, gas free, low rent. 921 Broadway.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

BROADWAY, down-town lot of rooms, beds furnished; your price, neat, modern; possession Jan. 1. Phone Oakland 8075.

UNFURNISHED sunny room to let; convenient to cars; local train. 928 6th ave.

ROOMS AND BOARD

AA—FINE sunny room for one or two gentlemen, home cooking; near local and cars; nice neighborhood; reasonable. 830 Kirkham st., bet. 7th and 8th.

AT the Elkton there are sunny rooms with board; running water; on Key Route line; Sunday dinners a specialty. 817 12th st.; phone Oakland 8048.

A GOOD home for two men; sunny room; bath; near cars and locals; home cooking; $25 per month each. 1117 Myrtle st.; phone Oakland 4297.

A COUPLE of gentlemen to room and board in new home in North Berkeley; use of tub, phone and bath. Box B-756, Tribune.

AT The Palms, 1103 Filbert—Bright, sunny rooms, excellent board. Phone Oakland 2861.

FRONT room with good board. 1401 Castro st., cor. 18th.

AA—LARGE sunny rooms, private bath; excellent board, individual tables, large grounds. 1221 Madison, cor. 11th.

A LARGE room in fine home and good board for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 523 Jones st., phone Oakland 7884.

BEAUTIFUL sunny room, furnace; first-class board. 484 23rd; Oakland 8102.

Hotel Arlington

NINTH AND WASHINGTON.

The only first-class medium-priced family hotel in town; board and room $50 for couple; single rooms, $2.50 per week; housekeeping apartments in connection, 2 rooms $4, 3 rooms $5 week.

LARGE sunny front room, suitable for two, with or without board, in private family, Vernon Heights; also small room. Phone Oakland 7402.

LARGE sunny room with board for two gentlemen. 856 31st st.

NICE rooms with board, steam heat, convenient to narrow gauge. References. 1375 Madison st., phone Oakland 5171.

NEWLY furnished rooms with or without board close in; very reasonable, private family. 133 12th st.

NEWLY furnished rooms with board; home cooking, steam heat; reasonable. 1067 Oak st.

BEAUTIFUL and select 3-room flats; every convenience; adults. Athol ave. and Acton Place.

Casa Rosa Apartments

New, completely furnished, reasonable; 1 block Key Route, 5 minutes City Hall, 1213 Market, opp. 15th; phone Oak 7164.

COZY apartments; free gas and lights. The Colonade, 846 33d st., bet. Grove and Telegraph; phone Piedmont 2656.

CHEERFUL rear apts 2 rooms furnished; near Grove, $ 0. Ca l 673 31st st.

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ELEGANT furnished apartments, 2 and 3 rooms; new automatic elevator; hot water. Apply at 127 Telegraph ave., apartment 302.

Laguna Vista

fronting lake, at 22 st., cor. Harrison boulevard, furnished bedroom, dining-room, alcove kitchenette, dressing-room, bath; wall bed, private porch, steam heat, hot water; phone: $35-$37.

MURI-ELL, completely furnished 2 and 3 rooms, private phones, steam heat, etc., in beautiful location; 1½ blocks from 23d st.; Key Route depot. $27 Grand ave., nr. Webster; $25 and up.

CHILDREN BOARDED

MOTHER'S care given one or two young children. Call at 665 52d st.

ONE or two children to board; best care; private home; doctor's reference. Address 412 E. 18th st., Oakland.

SELECT HOME

Girls carefully trained; day, week or month. 478 26th st.

WANTED—1 or 2 children to board; mother's care; sunny yard. 1715 Filbert st., Oakland.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

AT 918 16th, upper, sunny, furnished housekeeping rooms; private family; walking distance; two adults.

AT 1419 Grove st., pleasant front bay-window room, small kitchen, for light housekeeping; furnace heat.

AT The Virginia, nicely furnished sunny housekeeping rooms, centrally located; reasonable. 1378 Franklin.

A DESIRABLE sunny front suite, housekeeping; gas free; other housekeeping rooms. 72 San Pablo ave.

ARION—Pleasant, reasonable; first-class in every respect. 915 San Pablo, near 22d Key Route.

AA—SUNNY furnished rooms, light housekeeping; rent reasonable. 965 14th.

A SUNNY front housekeeping room; phone, yard and laundry. 917 Jefferson.

AT 806 Madison st.; must fill house; name your rate; modern; children taken.

ATTRACTIVE sunny housekeeping rooms; reasonable. 1020 Adeline st.

AA—TWO partly furnished housekeeping rooms; low rent. 1255 Broadway.

CLEAN, sunny, pleasant, quiet; reasonable; phone, gas; near local and car line, none but refined people. Apply 514 4th st.

COMPLETELY furnished two or three housekeeping rooms; regular kitchen; adults; private family. 1127 Myrtle.

COMPLETELY furnished, sunny, modern housekeeping apartments, $12, $17, $21 monthly. 724 14th.

FOR RENT—Two sunny connecting rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; near 22d st. Key Route; 627 23d st.; phone Oakland 2376.

FURNISHED suite, suitable for housekeeping or single; rooms sunny; all conveniences. 1289 Myrtle st. Oakland 3881.

FRONT rooms for housekeeping, running water; one block to Key Route; five minutes to city hall. 46 21st st.

FOR RENT — Furnished housekeeping rooms, also single room, 1206 West st., near 14th and Market.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; large yard; every convenience. 771 5th st., cor. Market.

FURNISHED or unfurnished 2 or more rooms, regular kitchen; reasonable. 306 E. 15th.

FRONT parlor, furnished or housekeeping; all conveniences; $3 week. 527 18th street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms; 3 large sunny front rooms, nicely furnished; close in. 2029 Berkeley way, Berkeley.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, unfurnished; gas, electricity; $1.75 to $3.75 per week. 1059 Castro.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms at 1154 Brush, cor. 13th st.

LARGE sunny furnished housekeeping room, 906 West st., near local; $2.50 per week.

LARGE sunny front furnished rooms; new flat. 1020 Brush st., near 11th.

MODERN furnished housekeeping rooms; phone, electricity; also single rooms. 644 13th st., cor. Grove.

MODERN 3-room apartment, completely furnished, $20. 550 27th st., near Telegraph ave.

NEW, sunny housekeeping front rooms; very central. Corner 12th and Market.

NEWLY furnished sunny front connecting housekeeping rooms. 668 18th st.

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SUNNY bay-windowed, newly furnished housekeeping suites, single rooms, three blocks from Broadway; $2 per week and up. 1423 11th st.

SUNNY furnished housekeeping rooms; new flats. Apply 1020 Brush st., near 11th.

SUNNY furnished housekeeping rooms, $1.25 per week. 1120 7th st., near Adeline.

SUNNY housekeeping rooms, large and convenient; cheap. 573 5th st.

TWO connecting housekeeping rooms; running water, stove, gas, electricity; separate entrance; near park, S. P. locals and cars; 5 minutes to Broadway. 198 9th st.; phone Oak 6811.

THREE small, cozy, sunny furnished housekeeping rooms; regular kitchen; choice location; low rent to couple. Phone Merritt 2983.

THREE completely furnished housekeeping rooms; bath, separate entrance, water; $19.50. 594 59th st.

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, regular kitchen; 427 Edwards, near 35th and Telegraph.

TWO large front sunny rooms, newly furnished, for housekeeping, gas range, sink, bath. 1634½ 7th st.

THREE upstairs, sunny housekeeping rooms, partly furnished; $10 per month; adults. 854 23d st.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, with use of gas, bath and laundry; rent $15. 1750 San Pablo ave.

TWO newly furnished front housekeeping rooms, $4 week, including gas and bath. 1025 7th ave.

TWO nice, large, sunny suites complete for housekeeping, central. The Webster, 476 8th st.

TWO and three rooms, partly furnished for bachelors; $5-$8. 500 15th st., near Telegraph.

THREE sunny furnished housekeeping rooms; gas, bath, electricity, $16. 758 4th st.

TWO sunny furnished housekeeping rooms in exchange for services. 608 11th.

TWO housekeeping rooms in exchange for morning services. 1775 Grove.

TWO rooms for housekeeping, gas and stove supply. 367 6th st.

APARTMENTS TO LET

At Newsom Apartments

New, beautifully furnished; private phone, heat, etc., 8 blocks Key Route Inn; reasonable. 24th and Valdez, east of Broadway.

At Maryland Apartments

Oakland's leading family apartment house; modern and homelike; steam heated, private phones. NW corner 33d and A, Oakland 2911.

APARTMENTS. The Safety—1, 2 and 3 rooms, new and modern; reasonable, no car fare. 228 San Pablo ave.

AA—AT St. Nicolai. 6th and Clay—Quiet, modern, elegantly furnished apts.

APARTMENT of four rooms; private bath, furn. or unfurn. 800 14th st.

BUENA VISTA, 1411 Brush st.—Finely furnished; private baths, close in, special rates to permanents.

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APARTMENTS TO LET (Continued)

MODERN 3-room apartment, furnished complete for housekeeping, sale or rent; bargain, 5 minutes from 12th and Broadway. 1065 Madison st., apt. 2.

ONE, two and three sunny, cozy apartments, furnished or unfurnished, to let, reasonable, near Key Route station. Apply 3704 Piedmont ave.

Palm Inn Apartments. 524 25th st. New two, three, four rooms, furnished; sunny, large grounds and billiards; sleeping porches; close to Key Route; garage; room for auto.

Roslyn—19th & Telegraph

1 to 4 rooms, furnished or unfurnished.

UNDER new management—Hollywood Apartments and rooms; clean, neat, running water each room; walking distance; moderate prices. 993 San Pablo ave.; phone, Oak 2271.

Vue Du Lac

3d ave., at E. 16th st.; phone Merritt 1764—Perfect neatness, all conveniences and refined surroundings at the lowest rates in Oakland; Dimond car passes door.

205 TELEGRAPH ave., cor. 18th—Sunny, desirable, unfurnished housekeeping apartments; references. Office, 516 18th street.

HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED

AA—WANTED—An up-to-date flat or bungalow, walking distance to 14th and Broadway; state rent and location. Box 2767, Tribune.

FURNISHED room for elderly working man; very cheap. Mrs. J. M. Tray, Alameda P. O., Cal.

FURNISHED apartment house, housekeeping. Phone Oakland 7831.

WANTED—2 or 3 room bungalow or cottage of 6 rooms; must be in good location and modern; will be permanent tenant and pay good price for the right place. Phone Merritt 486, bet. 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.

WANTED—Board only, not far from 12th and Washington, by young lady; German cooking preferred. Address Box B-757, Tribune.

WELL furnished housekeeping room, with heating stove, for lady and boy of 5, $10 per month. Box 6212, Tribune.

WANTED—Furnished small house with yard for chickens. Box 2811, Tribune.

WANTED—4-room house or flat, close to town. Box 2998, Tribune.

STORES AND OFFICES

CORNER store with living rooms; 23d ave., 19th st.; rent $30. Key upstairs.

LARGE offices, 80x36 second floor of Tribune Bldg., cor. of 9th and Franklin sts.; rent reasonable; will give a lease to a good tenant. Apply J. F. Conners, Tribune.

THREE-ROOM apartment, suitable for physician, centrally located. 570 19th st.

HALLS TO LET

Porter Hall 1482 Grove st.; D. V. Duval, Secy.; O. 8214. Lodge rooms, maple floors; stage for rent.

AUTOMOBILES

A BARGAIN

1908 7-passenger, fully equipped, Royal Tourist, in absolutely first-class condition. Equipment includes top, Prest-o-lite gas tank, brand new Firestone Demountable tires and rims, extra tires and tubes and complete tool equipment. Must sell at once, will take $1750 cash. Apply to B. A. Forsterer, 500 Walker ave., Oakland.

AUTO car runabout, good shape, tires new; $350 or exchange. 221 Lawton ave., near Hudson st.

BARGAIN—Must sell for repair bill, $250, 5-passenger Mitchell. Olsen & Hunter, 12th and Jackson.

For Sale; New 1910 Franklin Automobile fully equipped; parties leaving Calif. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, Box B 620 Tribune.

FOR SALE—1 sorrel team 4 years old, well broke, no better team in Oakland; one gray horse 7 years old, weight 1400 pounds, one gray mare, weight 1400 pounds, one bay mare, 1000 pounds, 7 years old, are pinto 1000 pounds, ride and drive. 717 Clay st.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, Brush runabout, for lot in Oakland, or acre near town will pay difference. 425 Oak Grove ave., Oakland.

FIRST-CLASS work, very reasonable; best auto repairing. O. W. Johnson, 1058 Franklin st.; phone Oakland 6590.

FIVE-PASSENGER Ford automobile, fully equipped, 1911 model. $700. California st., South Berkeley.

HAVING no use for my 5-passenger auto, will consider run boat in trade. W. Hunt, 867 Center st., Oakland.

I HAVE new lot to exchange for good auto. Phone Lake H 6814.

Packard Automobile

WILL sell at great reduction, seven passenger, 1910 model 1-2 Packard auto, run less than 5000 miles, picked condition; owner leaving for Europe; party, owner going abroad. Phone, Address 55

TO exchange for good auto, 160 acres of land in Lassen Co. valued at $12.50 per acre, all tillable; no improvements; will sell for $1750 cash. Jay Smith Co., 508 Broadway, Oakland.

WANTED—Auto in exchange for residence property; equity $1500 to $2000. Full particulars to box 2-0, Tribune.

WILL exchange horse for good automobile; must be in first-class order. Hay Bros., 7th and Brush sts.

BOATS AND VEHICLES

BUSINESS rig (collapsible top) and rubber-tired buggy, cheap. Cindy & Dodge, real estate, 1292 East ave., Melrose station.

BUGGY for sale cheap. 1059 E. 22d st.

CUT RATES in black and livery; special rate and best feed for board. 370 9th st., Dayton's Stables.

FAMILY horse and buggy for hire; part of day or week; to reliable party. Apply 1412 Grove st.

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This lot is 45x125; only half-block from Lake Boulevard; grand view; surrounding corners held at $60 per foot. This can be had for face of mortgage, $35 per foot; only 15 minutes' walk to business center.

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REAL ESTATE (Continued)

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Five rooms and bath, double floors, beam ceiling, gas and electric lights, high basement, street work just completed. Reduced to $2650; terms.

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A Modern Home

Six-room house on Oakland ave.; basement, sleeping porch, hardwood floors; lot 40x115; swell location; $5000, easy terms.

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CAN put you on to a few new pieces of ranch property to exchange for city; some fine ones; mostly small prices; nominal commission. What have you got? Box 2865, Tribune.

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As a whole or in subdivisions of 40 acres each, 160 acres of table wine and seedless raisin grapes; also 40 acres set to figs and peaches, interset with grapes; all 7 and 9 years old. This place paid 8 per cent on asking price. All work hired; six-room house, large lawn, plenty shade, fine home; good school ¾ mile, church ¼ mile; telephone, outbuildings, etc.; fine land, good climate; all under irrigation. For further particulars address owner, F. C. Chapman, Modesto.

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Two-story house of 15 rooms and two baths, situated on sunny corner, in walking distance of Broadway and 12th st.; rent $75.

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New building on one of the principal cross-streets, about 1200 feet from the City Hall; lot 55x103; building in first-class condition, new; present income about $550 per month; can get bonded lease at $400 net if desired. Can be handled for part cash at the extremely low price of $45,000. If you are in the market for an investment of high-class property that will increase in value rapidly, do not fail to see this.

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$650 Building Lot

In East Oakland, close to 14th avenue car line. The street work is all done. The size is 85x120. Owner will sell on very easy terms, or will discount this price for all cash. (6845)

Pair of Modern Flats

of 4 and 5 rooms; lot 37.6x100; close to Second avenue and East 16th street; one block to car line. Price $4250. Owner will sell for $1000 down and the balance can be paid monthly with interest at 6 per had. (1004)

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of five large rooms, in Linda Vista Terrace; all modern conveniences. Lot 57x100. The price is $3650. Terms can be had. (1904.

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Three Lots

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Room 57, Bacon Block,
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Call and see us.

Jas. S. Nalsmith

19 Bacon Block.

REAL ESTATE (Continued)

Some Genuine Snaps

$5500.00.

Pair fine modern flats, near 16th and Market. These built 2½ years and you can make $1000 profit on these in next year; mortgage $3000, 6 per cent, can run.

$2250—FRUITVALE.

Only $850 cash, balance like rent; fine 2-story house, built 2 years. Lot 50x125; fruit trees; 2 blocks from E. 14th car, Fruitvale section. This property is worth and should sell for $3000 within the year.

$2250—26TH AND UNION.

Only $350 cash, balance like rent; new modern cottage; 26th, near Union. Lot 37x100; near Key Route; close in.

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1068 Broadway, Oakland.

$7500—A NEW, modern 8-room Grand ave. home; 2 sleeping porches; hardwood floors; furnished; lot 42x100; $1000 cash, balance $50 per month.

$10,500—Large beautiful corner, 10-room residence, in Adams Point; every modern convenience; hardwood floors, open fireplace furnace, sleeping porch, garage; one block from car; 50-foot lot; investigate.

$6500—New 7-room 2-story house, modern in every particular; lot 40x137; close to cars and local trains. Price $6500 and a bargain.

$250 cash will put you in possession of a new, modern cottage, near Telegraph and Key Route station; balance to suit.

$750—Beautiful lot on the north side of East 22d st., near 10th ave., 50x140 feet in size, with street work down; best bargain in East Oakland.

F. F. PORTER, 1114 BROADWAY.

$6000—A BEAUTIFUL home; modern 10-room house; a beautiful corner lot, 80x120; 1 block to car; a snap.

$6500—Lot 80x260; 18 fruit trees; a modern 10-room house and garage; first-class location.

$3150—2-story house of 5 rooms; corner lot 25x75; close in.

$3500—2-story building of two flats; lot 25x100; 3 blocks from 14th and Broadway; must sell to close an estate.

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$2200—Corner lot 40x100, with modern 5-room cottage and 1-story building in rear; 2 blocks to car line; $7200 mortgage can stand.

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EGGS 50c DOZ.—BETTER BUY THESE. $2500—5 rooms, bath, barn, chicken houses, almost half an acre, with fruits and flowers

$3200—Cottage, 4 rooms bath, barn, 50x850, fruits and flowers; good for chickens.

$4300—5 rooms, modern; lot 50x250; close in; 100 chickens.

ONLY FOUR MORE

of those deep lots left, for chickens, 40x260, two frontages.

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FOR SALE.

$3850—IN THE PIEDMONT HILLS, half a block to Oakland ave. car line and short distance to Key Route train; NEW, MODERN 5-room BUNGALOW; hardwood floors in hall and front rooms; large fireplace, enameled bathroom; cabinet kitchen; elevated lot 57x100; room for driveway; sunny side of the street; beautiful view; TERMS TO SUIT; interest at 6 per cent.

$3900—IN SANTA FE TRACT, half a block to Grove st. car line and 5 minutes' walk to 14th st. Key Route station; NEW, MODERN 6-ROOM BUNGALOW with sleeping porch; lot 40x110; interior beautifully finished in Oregon pine; exceptionally large rooms and a large front porch; property well worth $4500, but owner going East, wants to sell at once. Terms to suit can be had, interest on balance at 6 per cent.

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$105,000—640 acres in San Joaquin valley; includes townsite; 31 on S. P. R. R. main line; good land or alfalfa, sweet potatoes or fruit; no irrigation needed; 200 acres already in alfalfa; large house, fine grounds, several large barns; all under fence; part exchange, balance long time; want bay property; this is a snap.

200 acres; Sacramento valley; $1000 in modern improvements just completed; all under irrigation; owner must leave and come to town; value $13,000; will take property around bay; good value.

40-acre improved fruit ranch; 20 acres full bearing fruits; good house, barn, horses, cows, pigs, tools, wagons, value $5500; wants a home in Oakland.

GEO. D. BARBER, 21 Bacon block, Oakland.

FOR SALE—Unencumbered ranch; Lake Co.; 160 acres; large bearing orchard; finest water, fertile soil, timber; 5-room cottage, barn and out-buildings; no agents. For particulars address owner, Box 2404, Tribune.

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The first year you put the trees, the second and third year you care for them, the fourth year you pay one-fourth on the purchase price of the land and one-fourth each succeeding year for three years. The land is limited to a few hundred acres in quantity and first come first served. A snap like this has never before been offered in California.

Get in on the ground floor and secure a grove worth while for little money.

For further details write A. L. Stanley, Santa Marie, Cal.

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Tract of 20 large building lots, 50 feet frontage each, located just outside eastern city limits; beautifully situated; will sacrifice for cash; a splendid investment opportunity. Address Owner, Box 2892, Tribune.

Los Gatos Ranch

Seven acres close to town; orchard, good 5-room house, with bath; good outbuildings, modern poultry yards, incubators, etc.; well, windmill, gas engine; $4000, half cash.

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LOTS 50x150 for $600 and upwards, according to location. 10 PER CENT DOWN and balance on easy terms.

Building restrictions $1500.

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Take Melrose, San Leandro or Hayward cars; transfer to Liese avenue (two blocks past Fruitvale) and ride two blocks to the property.

Key Route has a proposed extension run alongside of Boulevard Park, meaning a one-fare trip to San Francisco.

The Southern Pacific is contemplating the construction of an electric line that will also run contiguous to this tract and increase the value of property at least 50 per cent.

Call and see this property before buying elsewhere. No Mongolians need apply.

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1922 Fruitvale ave., corner Boulevard.

Something Swell

$3900—Brand new 6 room bungalow; with reception hall; bath; pantry and laundry; has every late device and convenience; beautiful mantel and china dresser; veneered paneling; all large sunny rooms; lot 45x125; terraced front; cement steps and walks; restricted locality; easy terms.

Big Bargain

$3500—Beautiful cottage, 6 rooms and bath; reception hall; pantry; laundry, etc.; strictly up-to-date; two lots 40x101 each, making 80x101; store building on the 2d lot; choice location; close in; this is a snap; terms.

Foreclosure Sale

$3200—A good 4 room cottage with bathroom; pantry, etc.; corner lot 150x180; fronting on 3 streets; will make 6 good lots; high elevation fine view; near new Key Route extension; biggest snap in town; must be sold at once; make offer for cash; don't delay.

Also Forced Sale

$2400—Brand new cottage 5 rooms and bath; reception hall; pantry; laundry, etc.; lot 35x100; beautiful location; close to Fruitvale ave.; can make easy terms; see this today.

Good Investment

$3500—Two acres of land; 4 room cottage; fine well with electric motor; right on car line; 5 cent fare and 25 minutes to Oakland; can you beat it?

Come to the office and look over our list; we have others; we have 5 and 6 rooms cottages now building, on very easy terms; open every day.

HOME INVESTMENT COMPANY

Corner Fruitvale Avenue and Boulevard.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE. (Continued)

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Walnut Land

5 to 10-acre tracts along new electric road to Oakland; trees now bearing; will double in value in a year's time; easy terms.

PERKINS-SMITH COMPANY,
No. 1 Telegraph ave.

40-ACRE apple orchard on line of Oregon and Nevada & California R. R., worth $100 per acre. Oakland Rebate Co., 473½ 10th st.

MELROSE REAL ESTATE

JOHN ANSEON, REAL ESTATE.

Take Hayward car, get off at office, corner Seminary ave. and East 14th st. Open Sunday.

$3250—Large cottage of 5 rooms, modern, almost new; large lot 40x132; barn, chicken house; in fine neighborhood; near East 14th st.; can be bought on easy terms.

$750—Cottage of 4 rooms; near Seminary ave.; large lot; terms, $150, balance $10 per month.

$650—Cottage of 4 rooms; lot 37x100; located 2 blocks from Lockwood School Terrace; $125, balance $10 per month.

$1050—Cottage, 4 rooms; lot 30x235; good place for chickens or pigeons; terms $200, balance $15 per month.

$4000—Ranch of 4 acres; located in the town of San Leandro; sewered; city water; electric lights; good 4-room cottage; 300 fruit trees, all in full bearing; a variety of all kinds of fruit. This property is located 4 blocks from the Estudillo House. San Leandro; terms $1800 cash, balance $30 a month, interest 6 per cent.

Must be sold in next 30 days; 10 large lots on East 14th st., near Melrose station; fine business property. See John Anseon, agent, and make offer; terms 20 per cent cash, balance easy payments; an opportunity to secure some of the best business property on East 14th st.

$250—Lots in Anseon's Moss tract, Elmhurst; located on Oakland ave., between East 14th st. and Boulevard; terms $20 cash, $10 per month.

$200—Lots near Seminary ave. and East 14th st., in good neighborhood; easy terms.

See John Anseon for bargains. Property bought, sold and exchanged.

ALAMEDA REAL ESTATE

$1500—BUNGALOW of 4 rooms and bath; all modern plumbing; electric lights, etc.; lot 25x150; $500 down and $25 per month.

$5500—This is the most artistic house of 7 rooms you ever saw; fine corner lot; sleeping porch and all latest improvements; don't fail to see it; $500 down and $50 per month.

$3250—Cottage of 5 rooms, all large, and 4 rooms in basement, on north side of Clinton ave.; lot 60x150; lot alone worth $2000; $1500 can remain on mortgage.

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Real estate, insurance, renting, loans, etc.; best bargains in the annexed district; see us before buying. 54th ave. and E. 14th st.

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FOR SALE—Only a few 5-room high-basement cottages in growing community, which I will sell for $3000; small payment down and small monthly payments; this is a snap; will also exchange for lot. Address owner, 755 61st st.; phone Piedmont 4294, Home H-0654.

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Phone Oak. 917. **KENT** Room 33, 969 Broadway

Wages, notes, accounts, attachments.

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DRESSMAKING at reasonable rates, 124 12th st., phone A-1279.

STREET or evening dresses; latest styles; reasonable; dresses made over, 675 24th, near San Pablo; Oakland $000; tailor gowns.

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T. CATHEY NEWSOM, architect, has removed to 549 Monadnock Bldg., San Francisco.

HOUSE MOVERS

H. R. HENDERSON—Raising, shoring, moving; buildings bought and sold. 481 22d st.; phones Pied. 289, Home 6158.

FRUITVALE REAL ESTATE

H. BARKMEYER

1369 Fruitvale Avenue
Fruitvale, Cal.
Tel. Merritt 1804

$1300—A bargain; cottage of 4 large rooms and bath; porcelain tub; pantry and closets; high basement; fruit trees and berries; chicken house and yard; all fenced; lot 35x125; one block from Fruitvale ave. and two blocks from E. 14th st.

$2750—Cottage of 6 rooms and bath; fine mantel, sliding doors, paneled dining room, china closet, tiled sink, floored basement; lot 30x125; close in on Main ave., 3 blocks north of E. 14th st.

$3500—New and up-to-date bungalow cottage of 5 large rooms, beam ceiling and paneled dining room, large front and back porch; lot 42x110; best restricted location in Fruitvale, one block from E. 14th st. and 2 blocks from Fruitvale station; street work and cement walks all completed.

See the above places before buying elsewhere; can arrange terms or will build to suit. For particulars see H. BARKMEYER, 1369 Fruitvale ave., Fruitvale, Cal.; phone Merritt 1804.

Oil, you city farmers! Want a beautiful nearly new Fruitvale home with 4 lots tastefully set to trees, berries and the choicest of flowers, the whole for less than the house alone cost? Close to 2 car lines and proposed Key Route station; electric lights, city water; all for $600 cash and balance, $2000, only $25 a month. See owner quick at 59 Franklin ave., near end of Liese ave. car line.

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$1800—New cottage of 4 rooms and bath, mantel, basement; lot 29x100; one block north of 14th st. line; due to local station; terms $50 down, $20 month; bargain.

$2800—5-to-date 5-room cottage, just completed; bungalow mantel, gas and electrics; street work and sidewalks complete; good location; close in; lot 35x105; terms $250 down, $20 per month.

$3000—Brand new cottage of 6 rooms, modern in every particular; lot 40x100; near car line; convenient to local station; street work done; for cut walks; restricted tract; $250 down, 25 per month.

$3000—Modern 5-room bungalow, high basement, nearly new; corner lot 50x125; on main street; term can be arranged.

HENRY EEHRENS

1222 Fruitvale ave.

SMALL 3-room house and lot for sale; price $450; terms, $50 down and $10 month. Call 2728 Fruitvale ave.

UNUSUAL BARGAIN IN A HOME. $2700—$1000 can remain at 6 per cent; cottage is extra well built, containing 5 good sized rooms and reception hall 11x11; finest car line to Broadway and walking distance of S. P. local; fine school two blocks; just above nearly on corner of Grand, west side; driveway; shade trees all day in living room. Call 1635 27th ave., take car marked Fruitvale at 12th and Broadway.

$50 CASH, balance $10 per month, lot 100x100.

$100 cash, 4 rooms; modern; $15 per month.

We can sell you any property in Fruitvale or exchange for country property.

FRUITVALE REALTY CO.,
Corner E. 12th st. and Fruitvale Ave.

HOUSES FOR SALE

A 5-room modern house in Oakland Heights; large basement; heater; barely 10 cars and Key Route; $3800, $1000 down, $40 monthly. Owner, 520 Chetwood st.; phone A-2442.

A FIVE-ROOM bungalow in Elmhurst, less than a year old; large lot; price $1250 for quick sale. Box 2978, Tribune.

AAA—MODERN home in Piedmont; vicinity; must be sold; owner leaving city; no agents. Phone Oakland 4656.

A MODERN 6-room cottage; good location; lot 40x142; 1 block to two car lines; cheap. 867 E. 27th st., East Oakland.

A NEAT cottage of 5 rooms on San Pablo ave.; $1250; cash $200, $25 a month. Owner, 4118 Adeline st.

A 7-ROOM bungalow; elegant; fine location; sleeping porch; 1 block to car; 1251 12th st.; phone Merritt 2708.

ANY lot you like; I'll buy it and build home to suit; 1-10th cash, balance like rent. Box 2792, Tribune.

ADAMS POINT BARGAIN. New modern 7-room house; $2500 down; $4000. Box 2812, Tribune.

A 10-ROOM house; must sell quick. See owner at 2245 San Antonio ave., Alameda.

By Owner and Builder

Now nearing completion; open every day, beginning today (Sunday); the classiest bungalow of the season; every feature pleases; double mantel and bookcases; sleeping porch; cement walks, fancy brick work in front of porch; leaded glass windows; white tile; driveway; one block from car line; two blocks from Key Route station, Claremont and College aves.; located at corner 62d and Colby sts. Owner's card on window.

BARGAIN—Pretty 6-room house; large bath room, unusually large closets and cement basement; $400 cash, balance $25 per month; price $2750. See owner, C. F. Breiling, West Oakland Bank; telephone Oakland 940; res., Oak. 1977.

HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

Bargain—Home—Bargain

Modern, well built, 2 stories, 6 rooms, sleeping porch, hardwood floors, basement, fine view; large lot; close in; terms. Apply owner, 121 Westall ave.

BEAUTIFUL 5-room and bath high-basement cottage, strictly modern; fine lawn and flowers; will leave new linoleum and gas range; 2 blocks from E. 14th st.; price $2900; $450 down. Owner, 3618 36th ave., Fruitvale.

BARGAIN—Modern, up-to-date 7 rooms; sleeping porch; all conveniences; easy terms; will exchange equity for lot. S. Kiamet, 2655 Townsend; phone Merritt 3517.

BEAUTIFUL new 5-room bungalow; hardwood floors; Key Route and cars handy; close in; snap; $150 down, $30 month. Box 2988, Tribune.

BEAUTIFUL new 5-room bungalow; hardwood floors; Key Route and cars handy; close in; snap; $150 down, $30 month. Box 2990, Tribune.

BARGAIN—Very easy terms, cosy bungalow in Melrose boulevard tract, Melrose. See owner, 5029 Grove st., Oakland, evenings.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished modern home; easy terms; near Key Route. 848 54th st.; Grove st. car; Piedmont 4997.

BEAUTIFUL 5-room bungalow; sleeping porch; cheap; easy terms. 282 Lawton ave., near College.

BARGAIN—Beautiful 8-room house; near school. 32 Nicol ave., Fruitvale; owner.

DO you want money? Do you want to build? I have plenty of money to lend and will make you a building loan if you need it. Reliable contractors are associated with me and plans and estimates will be furnished to you. F. L. Woodburn, 265 Bacon building; phone Oakland 1210.

FOR SALE—A snap for somebody; sunny, homey house in Santa Vista; corner lot; 63 ft. frontage; 8 rooms, 1 bath, 2 toilets; $7500; $2500 will handle it; a bonus of $500 for a purchaser in ten days; owner compelled by business to live in San Francisco; no agents. Address Box H-18, Tribune.

FOR SALE CHEAP—New, modern 4-room bungalow; hard wood panel ing; electric lights, cement brick fire place; 4 closets, large front porch, screened in back porch; large lot; block from car line and from proposed Key Route; $150 down, $25 monthly. 1469 Channing way, Berkeley.

FOR SALE—In Alameda, private boarding house; excellent residential location; large grounds; 8 rooms, completely furnished; half block from Versailles station; low rent; owner leaves town; must be sold by January 16; a bargain. See owner for terms at 1309 Pearl st.

FOR SALE—7-room 2-story modern house on lot 33x140, on Gilbert st., near 41st; best location; sale must be effected to close estate. Real Estate Company, 4054 Piedmont ave.; phones Piedmont 1812, Home A-1642.

FOR SALE—Modern 8-room house, on E. 18th st., near 11th ave.; lot 50x150 feet; high cement basement; reasonable price; easy terms. H. J. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 15th st.

FOR SALE—By owner, 4-room and bath, high basement cottage; new, modern, neat; $2350, $100 cash. E. 14th st., one to ave. 55, 1 block south, 5514 E. 15th st., Melrose.

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room cottage, just completed; select location; lot 40x100; easy terms; also choice building lots on terms. Inquire owner, room 214, Bacon Bldg.

FOR SALE—2½-story residence in East Oakland; fine view; lot 50x100; driveway; $6500, $2500 cash, balance on mortgage. Address owner, Box 2970, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Big sacrifice; new modern bungalow; good location; handy to Key Route and cars; terms $500 cash. Phone Piedmont 2297, or Oakland 555.

FOR SALE—A fine cottage of 5 rooms, near school, Key Route and cars; close in; fine location; sacrifice; no agents. Apply owner, 1614 Union st.

FOR SALE or exchange, modern 5-room bungalow; hardwood floors, cabinet kitchen, basement; deep lot. Apply owner, 1721 11th ave.

FOR SALE—A modern 7-story 8-room house; large yard; 2 blocks to 2 car lines, school; rent $60.00. 343 E. 20th st., near 14th ave.

FIVE-ROOM house, all modern, wide lot, price $4500; mortgage can remain; or exchange equity. 567 57th st., near Grove.

FOR SALE—8-room, cottage, near Sonoma and 41st sts. 1 block from Fruitvale; $50 now buys lot. See owner at re-

FOR SALE—Modern 2-story house, 7 rooms and bath; high basement. 857 Grove st., between 7th and 8th; owner.

FOR SALE—3-room cottage, lot 80x135; good location; 1509 50th ave., Melrose Heights; owner, Mrs. P. Gordon.

FOR SALE—New 4 room bungalow; good lot; close in; $3500; cash or terms; no agents. Box 2826, Tribune.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a little gem of a house. Owner, 365 16th st.

I'LL build to suit you; 1-10th cash; I guarantee you against loss by new plan; any location and plans. Box 2971, Tribune.

I'LL buy any lot you like, furnish plans and build to suit, 1-10th cash, balance like rent. Box 2 45, Tribune.

LAKE VIEW TERRACE BARGAIN.

New 7-room house, 2 sleeping porches and basement, for $5000; on your own terms. Owner, 526 Chetwood st.; phone Piedmont 2.

NEW 5-room house, modern every respect; beam ceiling, sleeping porch, leaded seats, Key Route, $500 cash; all 6th st. block cars; Telegraph ave. or will furnish 1 or 2 lots; no fuss; any interest you desire. Mortgensen Bros., owners, phone Pied. 4624.

NEW 7-room house; cost $5000; will take $3600 small payment

HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

$500 Cash Buys

7-room modern home on Piedmont Heights, near Park entrance; grand view; house includes large billiard parlor, sleeping porch, shower bath, porch 8x64 feet; a grand home, built 1½ years; cost $7000; price $6000; balance terms to suit.

$500 Cash Buys

6-room home with an additional summer kitchen and two large reception halls; the finishing inside is grand; the house is insured for $4000; fine lot, flowers, lawn, shrubbery; near Key Route, North Oakland; house built 4 years; in 2nd condition; premises cost owner $4900; will sell for $3850; bank mortgage $2700 at 6 per cent; balance to suit; big snap for a swell home.

$300 Cash, $35 Monthly

Buys 7-room 35th street house, with large lot; close in home for only $4000.

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Buys 4 large-room East End modern cottage with lot 50x150. Price $2500.

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Buys swell Fruitvale bungalow; 2 bedrooms, large dining-room with open fireplace; close to S. P. and 14th street cars.

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Buys 4-room new cottage; buffet kitchen, 2 bedrooms, fine living rooms; close to Key Route; linoleum and gas range included. Price $2000.

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1110 Clay St. Bet. 12th & 13th
Phones: 2695 Oak.; Home A-2842.

$2100—SMALL payment down, balance like rent, will buy a new 5-room cottage, 829 46th st., one block west of Grove st.; this is a snap; see it before buying. Owner's phone, Piedmont 426.

$4000—EXTRA nice modern 6-room house; lot 30x140; near Grove and 82d st.; trade for lots or around 7th and Market sts. Henry N. tum-Suden, 476 10th st., Oakland.

$600 CASH, balance like rent, new modern 5-room house, furnished or unfurnished; $3800 furnished. Owner, 514 14th st., near Telegraph.

$300 CASH, $30 monthly; large lot, 5-room house, fine condition; block from car, Santa Clara ave. Kerr, owner, 413 Fairmont ave.

ROOMING HOUSES FOR SALE.

A CHANCE of a life time—Select boarding house; 20 boarders in house; location within one block of Key Route, 4 of Broadway; fine part of Oakland; owner will sell for $1000 cash and will board out balance, $800; don't write if you haven't the cash; reason for selling, owner simply and emphatically tired out. Address, Box B-603, Tribune.

AN 8-room house, furnished; piano; modern; rent $40; bargain. 924 Adeline.

FOR SALE—Apartment house, 130 rooms; best located and equipped in Oakland; $5000 cash, balance easy terms. Address Box B-605, Tribune.

NOT so bad, 41 rooms for $160; nets $110 per month. See Mitchener, 233 Bacon block.

SUNNY 16-room house; fine location; near locals and Broadway; low rent. Apply owner, 712 8th st.

TRANSIENT and permanent 24-room rooming house; income $250; rent $75; lease; $1000 cash, balance terms if sold this week, $1500; leaving town next week. Box 2949, Tribune.

W. L. Mitchener & Co.
Leading Business Chance Agents.
233 Bacon Block.

$2000—20 rooms; rent $200; Washington st.; small investment.

$700—14 rooms; clears $60; pickup; never is furnished.

$1250—20 rooms; rent; $70; ½ cash; country hotel; rent furnished.

20 rooms—Bar and stock for sale; a little snap.

$250—10 rooms, right in town.

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Phone Oakland 8188; A-2755.

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rms.; a fine transient house 2 00
rms.; apts.; elegant corner 2 00
rms.; apts.; corner; low rent; good furniture; income about $450; a snap 2 00
rms.; apts.; suite; fine cor.; one of finest locations in town. 5 00
We have rooming and apt. houses, ores and business chances of all kinds for sale from $200 to $750.0.
THOS. C. SPILKER & CO.,
20 Bacon blk.; phones Oak. 1784, A-2

CLEAN, cozy 6-room flat, close in; close to Key Route; good furniture and carpets; income $40.50; rent includes water. $22.50. Box 2974, Tribune.

ROOMS, elegantly furnished, hot and cold water; rent $55; owner leaving; no reasonable offer refused. Only with furniture. 223 Bacon block.

ROOM transient house; fine location; map; this week only; investigate it; this is no agent (owner). Box B-590, Tribune.

5—SMALL transient rooming house; must be sold; sickness; bargain. Call 14th Mitchener, 233 Bacon block.

FLATS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two flats; 91 to 25th st., near Market; a bargain; no agents.

LOTS FOR SALE

Apartment House Site

Central location, corner of 150x150; with increase in value; good income at present; owner will sacrifice for quick sale. If you want a snap, investigate.

S. & F. R. Gray
869 12th st., opp. Hotel St. Mark.

APARTMENT HOUSE SITE.

A short distance west of Washington st.; good location; 75 feet front; close to business center and ideal location for apartments. The right time to buy this is now. Box B-761, Tribune.

BEAUTIFUL BUILDING LOT.
BARGAIN.
OVER HALF AN ACRE, 100x270 FEET; HANDY TO S. P. DEPOT; RAPID TRANSIT TO S. F. OR OAKLAND; CLOSE TO MAIN LINE ELECTRIC CARS; 5-CENT FARE; FINEST OF IMPROVEMENTS; LOW TAX AND WATER RATE; 27,000 SQUARE FEET OF GOOD RICH LOAM FOR FRUITS, FLOWERS AND TABLE PRODUCTS. THIS IS A BARGAIN ALIVE WITH A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY. OWNER WILL SELL IF TAKEN NOW ON EASY TERMS; $250 DOWN AND $25 PER MONTH. BOX B-750, TRIBUNE.

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A MONEY-MAKER.
270 feet south exposure; a step from Piedmont ave. cars; good view and splendid location; all improvements; owner will sell for easy terms. Box B-760, Tribune.

BIGGEST bargain in Oakland; lot 60x150; in Webster st., north of 14th; within blocks of Bankers' Home. Will take small acreage in bay counties as part payment. Box 2857, Tribune.

Here's a Real Snap

Buy this fine lot at once and make $250. The last unimproved lot in Greenwood ave., in Fourth Ave. Terrace, will be sold cheap—$1100 buys it. Will take half cash, balance 6%. Entire block improved with fine homes. All other lots selling for $1250 in this neighborhood.
J. C. ARNOLL,
Oakland Tribune Office.

CAN sell you the finest lots in Oakland on Piedmont on easiest terms. Box 845, Tribune.

SANTA FE LOTS.
Splendid opportunity to pick up some good buys in this tract. For residence or business lots see L. M. Gove, room 206, Oakland Bank of Savings building.

LOTS FOR SALE (Continued)

Lots Cheap for Cash

This list is taken from 1700 lots listed on my books, and run from $5 to $14 per foot less than the adjoining property.

$36 per foot—Residence lot on car line, 400 feet from park; 8 minutes' ride to 14th and Broadway; adjoining lot sold for $50 per foot; you can make $450 in 4 months on this lot.

$35 per foot—40x139; one block to cars and two blocks to Key Route; $250 less than adjoining property; north side of street.

$16 per foot—Street work complete; 15 minutes to Broadway and 14th st.; one block to car line; north side of street; 150x135; just the property for a builder.

$30 per foot—Piedmont lot, 74x219; fine view; handy to cars.

$40 per foot—Piedmont; 60x137; fine view; three new houses being built adjoining; lot $600 less than adjoining property; a snap.

$42 per foot—Beautiful Piedmont corner; will bring $60 per foot in one year.

$1800—Grand building site, 40x105; Linda Vista; handy to cars and excellent neighborhood; walking distance to Key Route.

$30 per foot—Close in; just right for two cottages; west side of street.

$1700—Piedmont-by-the-Lake; best lot in tract; the finest residence section in Oakland; 8 minutes to 14th and Broadway.

$1700—Fine lot in Piedmont, 46x125; grand view; handy to school, etc.

$960—30x138; north side of 41st, near Grove; snap.

$1100—41x106; splendid lot for builder; just room for a driveway.

$1700—65x138; 66th st., near Telegraph; just the size for two cottages.

R. S. McHENRY
1208 Broadway
Central Bank Building, Oakland.

$25 FOOT—150x125; east frontage on Grand ave.; absent owner; a snap.

$22 a foot—A fine corner lot 140x102.6; street work done; high ground; 2 blocks to car line.

$2600—Fine corner lot 140x65; street work done and on car line.

$750—Lot 40x100; street work done; choice location.

$585—Lot 37.5x140; street work done; 2 blocks to car; first-class location.

$600—Lot 50x100; half block to 14th ave. car; easy payments.

$100 cash ($650) will purchase a lot 41x120, in Fruitvale; near school.
HUGH M. CAMERON,
1058 Broadway.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE

A FIRST-CLASS cement finisher wants exchange labor for lumber. Box 2819, Tribune.

BEAUTIFUL corner lot, 150x75, 6-room house and bath; best part of E. Oakland; exchange for house; must be clear. Owner, phone Merritt 918.

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$3500—Cottage, 5 rooms, bath; on East 12th st., near Lake Merritt; mortgage $1600; owner will exchange for vacant lot

Elegant home of 12 rooms, 2 baths, hardwood floors, oak staircase, furnace sunroom, sleeping porches, billiard room large lot, double frontage, in Piedmont grand marine view, garage, etc. Will exchange for small ranch or lots.

Berkeley home, near university, 7 rooms, bath; almost new; lot 40x135. Will exchange for lots or Oakland cottage.

Elegant home, 12 rooms; corner lot 75x150. Will exchange for small cottage.

Piedmont lots; fine location. Will exchange for improved property.

Owner of cottage on main business street, close in, will exchange equity for vacant lot,

ROSENHEIM & SHANNON,
Room 97, Bacon Block,
12th and Washington sts., Oakland.

EXCHANGE.

$5500—240 acres; good foothill land, 2-3 tillable; plenty timber and water; on good county road; 6 miles to railroad.

$5500—73 acres; choice apple land; 60 acres in cultivation; small apple orchard; house and barn and outbuildings; 3 miles from town and railroad; Santa Cruz county.

$12,000—A finely equipped dairy, 586 acres; 200 acres in cultivation; 60 acres alfalfa; 6 acres orchard; good house, 2 barns and dairy house; irrigating ditch runs through the land.

HUGH M. CAMERON,
1058 Broadway.

EXCHANGE—Alfalfa land with plenty of water, for improved property in bay cities, San Jose or Los Angeles. Owner, Box B-604, Tribune.

EQUITY of $1000 in modern 6-room house to exchange for vacant lot. 1077 E. 25th st., near 23d ave.; phone Merritt 5731.

FOR SALE—Or exchange; 600 acres of timber land, 7 miles from Medford, Ore.; finest apple land on the coast when cleared off; big money in the timber; will exchange for good income property or part for residence up to $8000; price $9 per acre; all cash. Spilker & Co., 580 Bacon block; Oakland 1794.

Hayward Ranch

Six acres close to town and 10 minutes' walk to electric car; modern 6-room house, 3-story barn, 2 wells, 2 windmills, chicken and pigeon houses, eucalyptus grove, telephone, sewer, gas plant, farming tools; income from gravel pit $1800 per year; price $8000; will exchange for home in Oakland.

S. & F. R. Gray
869 12th st., opp. Hotel St. Mark.

HAVE 5 fine lots to exchange for rooming house. Box 2816, Tribune.

OAKLAND improved for going merchandise business anywhere. 1635 Berkeley way, Berkeley.

PAIR of modern flats of 4 and 5 rooms; large lot; on 57th st., close to Grove st.; both rented; good tenants; price $5500, mortgage $3200. Will trade equity for a cottage. (4915)

21 1-8 acres, near San Jose; 20 acres of full bearing orchard; over 1500 fruit trees, consisting of cherries, plums and apricots; value $12,500, mortgage $2500. Will trade equity for Oakland property. (R-154

Pair of flats in Alameda; value $3500. Will trade for Oakland or country property.

Two-story house of 6 rooms and bath; good sized lot, double frontage; cars pass the door; one block to locals; price $3000. Will trade for ranch or vacant lots. (1765

$20,000—780-acre stock ranch, Mendocino county, exchange for Oakland income. (R-118

$25,000—Clear; residence; overlooking Lake Merritt; large grounds. Exchange for large residence, Piedmont or Adams Point and pay a cash difference or assume up to $40,000. (R-188

114 acres; Napa; general farm; fine orchard; price $12,500, mortgage $6000. Will exchange for equity for clear Oakland property. (R-218

$8500—Clear; 15 acres; Napa; young cherries. Exchange for Oakland income up to $12,000. (R-199

GEORGE W. AUSTIN,
1015 Broadway, Oakland.

STOCK ranch for merchandise anywhere, or for bay improved. 1435 Henry st., Berkeley.

WILL trade '09 Peerless, in first-class condition, with full equipment, for real estate in good location. Box 2916, Tribune.

TO EXCHANGE.

I have some very attractive properties for exchange, both in Oakland and suburbs and country property. If you cannot sell your property call and see me and I will try and exchange it to your advantage.

D. F. MINNEY,
422 11th st., Oak., just east of Broadway.

WILL exchange my auto for lot. Box 2823, Tribune.

WANT ranch for town property. Box 2831, Tribune.

PROPERTY WANTED

AA—I WANT to buy a 5-room bungalow; must be up-to-date in every respect; walking distance from 14th and Broadway; state price, terms and location; no agents. Box 2748, Tribune.

I WILL take your vacant lot as first payment on cottage; balance $10 per month. Owner, Box B-752, Tribune.

PROPERTY WANTED (Continued)

TO buy desirable building lots in good neighborhood. Athens Realty Co., 420 11th st., Oakland.

TO purchase 6 or 7-room bungalow; good lot and location; no mortgage. Address 1070 4th ave.

VACANT lots in North Oakland; suitable for bungalows. V. Wehe Company, 11 Telegraph ave.

Wanted 7-room bungalow or good northeast or northwest corner lot. Terms cash. Box 2577; Tribune.

WANT to buy close in new flats; not over $5000; south of 20th st. and east of Adeline st.

F. F. Porter
1114 Broadway.
Successor to A. J. Snyder.

WANTED—Cheap land; state price, location. A. G., 1315 Clinton ave., Alameda.

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ALAMEDA CO. Steam Carpet Cleaning Works, 612 2d st.; phones Oakland 2034, A 3134. First-class work guaranteed.

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ELECTRIC vacuum cleaning, night or day contracts. 964 21st.; phone Oakland 3443.

GENERAL house and carpet-cleaning, vacuum process. Phone Merritt 3951.

MATHEWSON, Carpet Cleaning Works, 845 E. 12th st.; phone Merritt 595.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICES

AN oldest Japanese employment office, 311 7th st.; Oakland 5522, Home A-3522.

JAPANESE employment and house-cleaning office, 319 7th; phone Oakland 2916.

ORIENTAL Employment Office supplies best help, city or country, on short notice. 362 5th st., Oakland; phones Oakland 2248, A 3691.

TAILORS

EASTERN TAILORING CO.—Best men tailors in Oakland. 512 Telegraph ave.

JAPANESE tailor for ladies. 1004 Jefferson st., near 10th st.

NOTARY PUBLIC

AA—V. D. STUART, notary public; money to loan. Tribune office, 8th and Franklin; phone Oakland 528.

STENOGRAPHERS

ANNE E. MARTIN,
PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER—NOTARY PUBLIC.
Room 47, 968 Broadway.

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WATCHES cleaned, $1; main springs, $1. M. J. Schoenfeld & Co., 35 San Pablo ave.

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MIRRORS re-silvered, and glazing. Oakland Mirror and Glass Beveling Works, 818 Adeline; both phones.

OSTRICH FEATHERS.

OSTRICH feathers dyed, cleaned, curled. Mme. Romain, Sacramento Ostrich Feather Wks., 1309 Clay; Oakland 2198.

ENTRIES FOR MONDAY

FIRST RACE—Futurity course; selling; 8-year-olds:

7914	Dolly V B 95
7851	Heretic 102
7877	Rosey Posey 97
7890	St. Heller 97
7734	Sneezer 102
7890	Clara Hampton 93
7907	Beatrice Soule 105
7850	Lescar 104
7907	Academist 99
7890	Frank Ferris 97

SECOND RACE—Three furlongs; purse; maiden 2-year-old fillies:

7885	La Cazadora 105
7886	**Auto Girl 105
7885	Change of Air 105
7886	**Evelina 105
7885	Florence S 110
7885	Zinri 110
(7914)	Hawtree (J. L. Ross) 110

Ch. f. by Chappaqua-Sofita.
xQueen Ruth (Henderson) 110
—B. f. by Ben Strome-Sly Nun.
xMarzo (Anderson & Hogan) 110
Ch. f. by Peep O' Day-Josie Cohan.
Helen N (River View) 110
Ch. f. by Cunard-Aramada.
**Keene-Camden entry.
xHenderson & Hogan entry.

THIRD RACE—One mile; purse; 3-year-olds and up:

(7872)	Braxton 101
7772	Star Actor 101
.....	John E. McMillan 106
(7707)	Feather Duster 84
7916	Buckthorn 106
(7914)	Ayame 87

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; the Applause handicap; 3-year-olds and up:

7917	Marchmonet 107
7875	Arusee 114
7873	Roy Junior 109
(7884)	Fountain Square 115
7873	Thistle Belle 102

FIFTH RACE—One and an eighth miles; selling; 4-year-olds and up:

7879	Azo 108
7815	Greenbridge 110
7894	Anna May 106
7830	Sir Angus 108
7827	Setwheda 109
(7915)	Halbershot 108
(7888)	Captain Burnett 111
7894	Spring Ran 106
7918	Dave Weber 105
7980	Henry O 108
7888	Miami 108
7888	Belleview 104

SIXTH RACE—Six and a half furlongs; selling; 4-year-olds and up:

7926	Bambro 111
.....	June W 101
(7880)	Little Jane 109
7965	Mistrung 114
7856	Frak G Hogan 103
7889	Lord of the Forest 113
(7965)	Farenit Hall 111
7888	Chief Desmond 105
7927	Adena 105
7906	Native Son 105
(7891)	Evran 109
7895	Early Tide 119

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The quotations today were as follows:

WHEAT—PER BUSHEL.

Option.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$1.00¼	1.00⅝	.99⅞	1.00⅜
July	.95⅝	.96	.95⅜	.96
September	.94⅞	.94⅞	.94⅛	.94¼

CORN—PER BUSHEL.

May	.49⅝	.49⅝	.49⅛	.49⅜
July	.50¼	.50⅝	.50¼	.50⅝
September	.51⅛	.51⅜	.50⅝	.51¼

OATS—PER BUSHEL.

May	.34⅝	.34⅝	.34⅛	.34⅜
July	.34⅜	.34⅝	.34⅛	.34⅜
September	.33½	.33⅝	.33½	.33⅝

PORK—PER BARREL.

January	20.35	20.35	20.25	20.30
May	19.25	19.35	19.12½	19.20

LARD—PER 100 LBS.

January	10.07½	10.07½	10.00	10.07½
May	10.32½	10.35	10.27½	10.32½
July	10.15	10.17½	10.15	10.17½

SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS.

January	10.72½	10.75	10.65	10.70
May	10.17½	10.17½	10.15	10.12½
July	.....	10.10	10.07½	10.07½

DAILY MOVEMENT OF PRODUCE.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	17,769	17,100
Wheat, bushels	23,200	29,200
Corn, bushels	214,200	557,900
Oats, bushels	261,000	438,100
Rye, bushels	5,500	1,000
Barley, bushels	58,600	48,200

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

The following quotations of prices of stocks in the New York Stock Exchange are from J. C. Wilson, member of the New York Stock Exchange, with offices in the Mills building, Montgomery and Bush streets, San Francisco:

Sales.	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
.....	Am Agriculture	..	..	46½	47
.....	Do pfd	..	..	84	..
.....	Allis-Chalmers	..	..	8	9
.....	Do pfd	..	..	29	30
13000	Amalg Copper	65⅝	64½	65¼	65⅝
100	Am Beet Sugar	42⅞	42⅛	42½	42¾
.....	Do pfd	..	..	92	93½
100	Am Can Co	9½	9⅛	9¾	9⅞
600	Do pfd	78	77	78	78½
600	Am Car & F Co	52½	52	52⅜	52½
100	Do pfd	115	115	112	117
800	Am Cotton Oil	58	58	58	58½
.....	Am Express	..	..	225	230
.....	Am Hide & L	..	..	4	4⅝
.....	Do pfd	..	..	22	23½
200	Am Ice Securities	18½	18	..	..
.....	Am Linseed	..	..	11	12
.....	Do pfd	..	..	31½	32
200	Am Locomotive	39½	39½	39⅝	40
.....	Do pfd	..	..	107	110
4100	Am Smel & R G	75⅝	74⅝	75¼	75½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	103¾	104
.....	Am Sugar	..	..	114½	115
.....	Do pfd	..	..	113½	114⅛
200	Am Steel Found	45½	45	45	46
1000	Am Tel & T Co	141⅝	141⅛	141⅜	141⅝
.....	Am Tob pfd	..	..	93½	95
.....	Am Woolen	..	..	91	92⅝
.....	Do pfd	..	..	91	94
400	Anaconda	40	39¼	40	40¼
800	Atlantic C Line	117¾	117¾	118¾	118½
5600	A T & Santa Fe	103⅛	102¾	103¾	103⅝
.....	Do pfd	..	..	102	102½
100	Baltimore & O	80¾	80¼	80	80½
100	Do pfd	90	90	90	90
1900	Balt & Ohio	107⅛	106⅝	106¾	106⅝
.....	Do pfd	..	..	90	91
1500	B R T	76	75⅝	75⅞	76⅛
1000	Canadian Pacific	198⅜	197⅞	198½	198⅝
8000	C & O	82⅛	81½	82	82⅛
.....	C & A	..	..	24	30
.....	Do pfd	..	..	54	59
200	C & G W	22½	22¼	22¾	22⅝
100	Do pfd	45⅜	45⅜	45⅝	46
200	C & N W	143	143	143	143½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	207	..
2800	C M & St P	126⅜	124⅞	125⅞	125⅝
100	Do pfd	149⅜	149⅜	149	150
1000	Central Leather	32	31¼	31⅞	32
.....	Do pfd	..	..	103¾	104½
.....	Central of N J	..	..	260	280
.....	C C C & St L	..	..	95	95½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	97⅞	100
.....	Colo Fuel & Iron	..	..	31½	32
.....	Colo Southern	..	..	110½	115
.....	Col H C & I	..	..	..	4
.....	Colo Southern	..	..	57¼	59
.....	Do 1st pfd	..	..	75½	76½
.....	Do 2d pfd	..	..	73	76
18500	Con Gas	141⅛	139¾	141½	142
300	Corn Products	14⅞	14⅝	14⅞	14¾
800	Do pfd	76½	76⅛	78½	78½
500	Del & Hudson	167½	166	167½	168
.....	D L & W	..	..	515	570
100	D & R G	29¼	29⅛	29¼	29⅝
.....	Do pfd	..	..	69¼	70
.....	Distill Securities	..	..	23½	24¾
.....	Duluth S S & A	..	..	11	11½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	21	23
.....	Enamel & S	..	..	16¼	17½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	82	90
800	Erie	28¼	27⅝	28	28⅛
200	Do 1st pfd	46¾	46¼	46	46⅜
.....	Do 2d pfd	..	..	33⅜	35¾
100	General Electric	153¼	151¾	153½	153
500	Gt Northern Ore	58	57½	57⅝	57½
2200	Gt Northern pfd	128	126¼	126¾	126
200	Illinois Central	133¼	133	133⅜	134
700	Interboro-Met	20	20	18¾	20
600	Do pfd	64¾	64⅛	64⅞	65
300	Inter Harv	112	111¾	111⅞	112⅛
100	Do pfd	123¾	122¾	122	124½
.....	Interat Paper	..	..	..	12½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	84	84½
1700	Interat Pump	42⅛	40½	41⅜	41½
300	Do pfd	86⅝	85⅝	86¼	86½
800	Iowa Central	19¼	18⅝	18	19
.....	Do pfd	..	..	31¾	32
1900	K C Southern	83	82⅜	83	83⅝
.....	Do pfd	..	..	64½	65
.....	L E & West pfd	..	..	39	47
200	L & N	146	146	145¾	145⅝
.....	Mackay	..	..	92	92½
.....	Do pfd	..	..	74¾	75⅛
.....	Manhattan	..	..	140	140⅝
700	Mexican Central	38⅛	37	37¾	37¾
600	Minn & St L	26¼	25¼	25	27
.....	Do 1st pfd	..	..	85	52
100	M St P & S S M	133¾	133¾	133¾	135
.....	Do pfd	..	..	147¾	150
500	M K & Texas	32⅝	32⅝	33⅛	33⅜
.....	Do pfd	..	..	63	65
200	Missouri Pacific	49	49	48¾	49
600	National Lead	56	55¾	56	56¼
.....	Do pfd	..	..	107½	108¾
.....	National Biscuit	..	..	117	118¾
.....	Do pfd	..	..	124	127
2800	Nevada Con	19	18⅝	19	19⅛
.....	New Ala Brake	..	..	71	73
900	N Y Central	112	111¾	112	112⅛
.....	N Y O & St L	..	..	63	68
.....	Do 1st pfd	..	..	104	110
.....	Do 2d pfd	..	..	87	92
100	N Y N H & H	135	135	135	136¼
800	N Y Ont & W	42	41¾	41¾	42
2500	Norfolk & West	101⅜	101⅛	101⅜	102
.....	Do pfd	..	..	80	88
600	North American	65¼	65½	65⅝	66
2200	Northern Pacific	119	117¾	118⅝	119
.....	Omaha	..	..	135	140
.....	Do pfd	..	..	165	170
.....	Pacific Coast	..	..	98	103
1300	Pacific Mail	28	27	28	28⅛
1100	Pacific Tel & T	45	45	45⅝	46
.....	Do pfd	..	..	92	98
4700	Penn R R Co	129¾	128¾	129⅜	129½
800	Peoples Gas	106¾	106¼	106⅝	107
.....	Pittsburg Coal	..	..	17⅛	18⅝
.....	Do pfd	..	..	66⅝	69
200	P C C & St L	98	98	98	98⅛
.....	Do pfd	..	..	109	112
.....	Pressed Steel Car	..	..	31¼	32
.....	Do pfd	..	..	80½	83
.....	Pullman Co	..	..	155	161
200	Ry Steel Spg Co	33	32½	32¾	33
.....	Do pfd	..	..	91¼	96
100000	Reading	153	153¼	153⅝	153⅝
200	Do 1st pfd	91	90	90	90¼
200	Do 2d pfd	87	86⅞	88	87
.....	Republic S & L	..	..	82	82½
800	Do pfd	84½	83½	83¾	84
2000	Rock Island Co	29⅝	29⅛	30¼	30⅝
300	Do pfd	71	70¾	71¼	71½
100	Sears Roebuck	187	187	187	190
.....	Sloss S S & I Co	..	..	49¼	51
.....	Do pfd	..	..	115	112½
.....	Stl & SF 1 pfd	..	..	62	65
800	Do 2d pfd	87⅜	86¾	88⅜	89⅞
.....	St L & S W	..	..	25	26½
.....	Do pfd	2½	01	01	02
6400	Southern Pacific	114⅞	113¾	114⅝	114⅝
3000	Southern Ry	24½	24¼	24¾	24¾
1100	Do pfd	82	82	82½	83
3000	Tenn Copper	84⅛	83¾	83⅞	83⅝
.....	Texas Pacific	..	..	26	26½
800	Third Avenue	11⅝	11	11	11⅜
200	Tol St L & W	23⅝	23⅜	23	23½
400	Do pfd	53½	53	53	54
.....	Twin City R T	..	..	108	109½
.....	Union Bag & P	..	..	8	9
.....	Do pfd	..	..	81	90
38700	Union Pacific	174½	172⅞	174½	174⅝
200	Do pfd	94	93⅝	93	93⅜
1500	Un R R of S F	44	41	44½	44⅝
1400	Do pfd	70	68¾	69½	70
.....	U S Cast Iron P	..	..	15	17
.....	Do pfd	..	..	51	60
.....	U S Realty	..	..	69½	70½
500	U S Rubber	37½	36⅝	37	37½
100	Do 1st pfd	111	111	111	111½
.....	Do 2d pfd	..	..	72	78½
40500	U S Steel Cor	74⅜	73¼	74¼	74⅜
1400	Do pfd	118¼	117⅞	118¼	118⅜
2300	Utah Copper	47⅞	46¾	47¼	47⅜
1000	Va-Car Chem Co	63	62¾	62¾	62⅞
.....	Do pfd	..	..	122	125
200	Wabash	18¾	18	18⅝	18½
500	Do pfd	35¼	34¾	35¼	35⅝
.....	Wells Fargo Ex	..	..	147	154
800	West Maryland	30¼	30	30⅛	30¼
900	Western Union	75	74¾	75	75¼
.....	Westinghouse	..	..	67	67½
.....	W & L E	..	..	4	5
.....	Do 1st pfd	..	..	13	14
.....	Do 2d pfd	..	..	8½	9¼
800	Wisconsin Cen	50¼	50⅛	50⅛	50⅜
7500	Lehigh Valley	176	176	176¼	176⅝
900	Goldfield Con	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7¾

$14,500—Total shares sold. Boodr, $2,225,000.

BOND LIST.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Atch gn 4s	99	99¼	Nash db 4s	94	94½
Do cv 4s	105	105¼	Nat Rec 5s	92¾	92½
B & O 4s	98½	98⅝	Un 4s	90	..
B R T 4s	82⅝	83	Do 1 4½s	95¾	95½
Col Ind 5s	77½	77¾	Do 2 4½s	95¾

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POLITICS BARRED BY PEERESSES

American Women of Title Are Recuperating After Long Siege.

LONDON Jan 7—American peeresse are now thoroughly indifferent towar British politics Most of them pai rather heavily for their fling but the inteerst now seems to be but a settle hostility toward the creation of any new titles This was the cause of pasmodi efforts which a few of them made t help along the Unionists' cause so a to block the threat of the Liberals t create five hundred peers and give radical balance in the house of lords But the election destroyed that hope and the American peeresses have gone off t the Riviera with a shrug of their shoul ders to spend their money In one o two astonishing isolated cases their Eng lish husbands have gone with them

The Duchess of Marlboro said toda to the International News Service cor respondent

Really you know I have not a poli tical idea in my head that would interes the International News Service readers Lady Dufferin said

No indeed Lord Dufferin is in the civil service so I could not talk any how But beyond that I have not a right to say even if I were free to prate about political questions

MISSING WALKER MILLIONS SOUGHT

Walls of the Residence at San Mateo to Be Tapped for Secret Hiding Places.

REDWOOD CITY Jan 7 —In a search for the mysterious $3,000,000 in securities consisting of 100,000 shares of Western Pacific stock which the Utah heirs of the late David F Walker claim were owned by the financier and are a part of his estate Attorney Walter Unforth accompanied by Special Administrator Carl W Flying and Attorney John D Bennett will make a thorough exploration of the inner recesses of the Walker residence in San Mateo

Two safe deposit vaults will be opened and thick walls will be tapped in quest of secret panels and passages

BOGUS LORD TRACED AND SLEUTHS REJOICE

The Son of Australian Cabinet Maker Proves to Be Clever Fleecer.

PRINCE TROUBETAKOY COMING TO AMERICA

Will Teach Us Art and Vegetarianism; Holds Views of Tolstoi.

(By VANCE THOMPSON)

PARIS Jan 7—At last the police have succeeded in fixing the identity of the bogus Vanderbilt who went into sundry dubious mining schemes with the Prince of Braganza Anita Stewart's brother in law and who fleeced Count Bernard de Fournaises under the pretext of form ing a trust of all the Paris hotels

This report of the detectives has greatly relieved William K Vande bilt and other members of the Vanderbilt family

English detectives have informed the International News Service correspondent at the man known over most of Eu rope as Lord L D Vanderbilt is an ad venturer named Thomson He is the son of a cabinet maker and was born in Warrnambell Victoria Australia His father sent him to the Edinburgh uni versity where he graduated in medicine with highest honors His personal standing was so good that he was appointed assistant surgeon in the British fol service of the Gold Coast colony of West Africa

IS A LINGUIST

Thomson speaks seven languages He has a polished manner and except when he wears a yellow wig looks very like the W K Vanderbilt of fifteen years ago Thomson married a Miss Oakley of New York and San Francisco a daughter of the late Judge Oakley of California and a near relative of Franklin Pierce The ceremony took place in Paris Jan 13 1908 After a honeymoon of three days his bride left him

Thomson became a naturalized French citizen and as such was registered as Dr Louis Leopold Arthur William Thom son According to the detectives who traced his career he has taken other aliases than that of Vanderbilt They state that he has used the names of Theodore Schumacher of St Paul and Carl Smith of Chicago In 1906 he registered at the Hotel Bristol Berlin as Fred Vanderbilt

FLIES HIGH

Such news he flies very high and once he rented Le Dole of Sutherlands archduke and entertained a large party of notable people At that time he was known as Colonel Thomson of New York

Not long ago he struck up an acquaintance with Howard Gould It was just beginning into friendship when Mr Gould was wounded

The detectives say that Thomson has been connected with bucket shops in Berlin Vienna and London—notably with an American bucket shop in the Rue des Capucines Paris which the police closed a few years ago His former wife still lives in Paris

Prince Paul Troubetskoi a cousin of the Prince Troubetskoy who married Minnie Rose Cumler sailed from Cher bourg on Wednesday on the Adriatic for New York The prince is a distinguished sculptor and his reproductions in his studio in the Rue de Weber attracts all the artists of Paris

VIEWS OF TOLSTOI

Prince Troubetskoy a Russian in spite of his long residence in America to whose liberalism as well as artistic genius the great Russian novelist bore such cordial testimony is the brother of the late Princess Troubetskoy who married Whitelaw Reid of the New York Tribune

Prince Troubetskoy has returned to Paris after a visit to Tolstoi at Yasnaya Polyana

He carries with him a number of the sketches that were made of the great Russian writer during his visit and which will be exhibited in the Salon of the Champs Elysees

Prince Troubetskoy is also the author of the famous equestrian statue of Alexander III which stands in front of the Russian Imperial palace on the Nevsky Prospekt in St Petersburg

WOLVES AS PETS

Prince Troubetskoy has two wolves which he has tamed and which follow him about like dogs When he was in Rome he had a pair of wolves which he kept in the garden of the Villa Medici

NEW THEATER

Plans for the new theater in the Latin quarter are already well advanced It will be given up to young artists who are to present their works at the conclusion of the season It is being designed after the ancient Greek style of architecture

The new theater will not be a money making venture pure and simple indeed the founders have followed what they call the New York idea A committee has been formed of which the Duchess de Rohan is the president The subscribers already include scores of names prominent in literature art and society

Windstorm Sweeps Over City of Denver

DENVER Colo Jan 7—A strong wind has prevailed most of the day on the eastern slope of the Rocky mountains The storm came from the north reaching Denver shortly before noon the wind here reaching a velocity of fifty miles an hour just before 1 o'clock Telegraph wires were affected and many chimneys blown down A scaffolding on a skyscraper in course of construction in this city was blown into a crowded street but only one man was injured although the lumber was scattered promiscuously among pedestrians.

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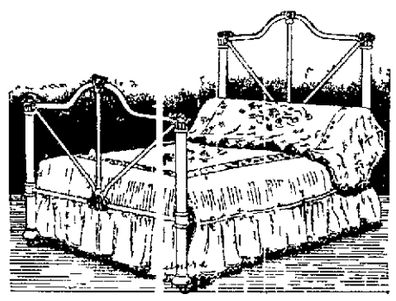

Metal Beds

$ 6 50	Beds—Clearance Price	$ 4 75
$ 4 00	Beds—Clearance Price	$ 3 15
$ 7 0	Beds—Clearance Price	$ 5 85
$ 9 00	Beds—Clearance Price	$ 7 20
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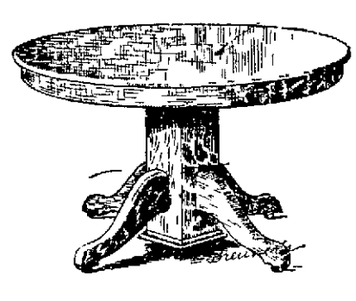
$17 50	Beds—Clearance Price	$11 40



Extension Tables

$48 5	Extension Table	$35 55
$90 00	Extension Table	$72 00
$40 00	Extension Table	$29 25
$25 00	Extension Table	$18 00
$20 00	Extension Table	$15 75
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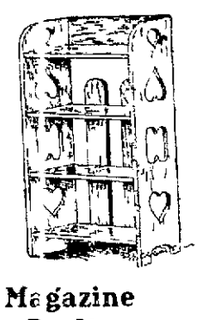

Magazine Racks

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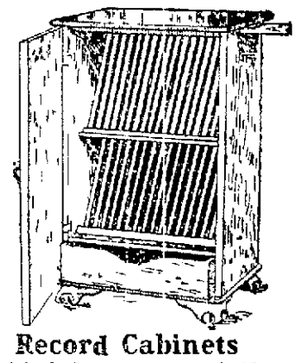
$[illegible] 0	ow	$1 95
$5 0	ow	$3 90
$6 50	ow	$4 90
$[illegible]	ow	$4 65
$9 50	ow	$5 85



Record Cabinets

$ 9 50	Values now	$ 7 00
$17 50	Values now	$11 50
$38 0	Values now	$29 25
$19 50	Values now	$15 80
$27 50	Values now	$19 80
$ 4 [illegible]	Values now	$ 3 45

Dressers

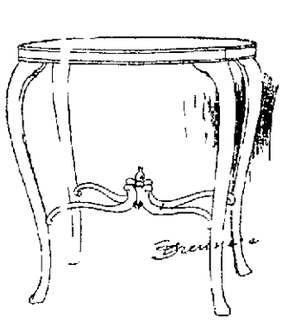
$18 50	Now $ 9 5	
$[illegible] 0	Now $18 0	
$[illegible] 0	Now $21 0	
$35 0	Now $26 5	
$30 00	Now $24 0	
$16 00	Now $13 5	

Lamps

$ 4 [illegible] 0	Now	$ 3 25
$ 3 85	Now	$13 05
$ 5 00	Now	$12 15
$12 0	Now	$10 15
$16 [illegible]	Now	$10 80
$12 0	Now	$10 35

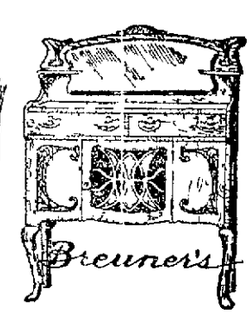
High Grade Ladies' Desks

$33 00	Values—Clearance price	$17 95
$38 0	Value—Clearance price	$27 25
$[illegible] 0	Values—Clearance	$27 90
$35 0	Values—Clearance price	$24 25
$[illegible] 0	Clearance price	$16 65
$[illegible] 00	Values—Clearance price	$65 25
$[illegible] 0	Clearance price	$76 50



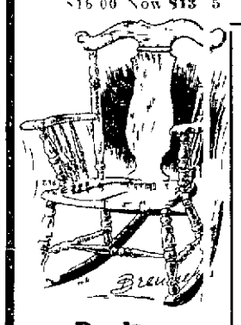
Parlor Tables

$ 0	Clearance price	$ [illegible] 00
$ 4 0	Clearance price	$ 3 10
$ [illegible]	Clearance price	$21 60
$ [illegible]	Clearance price	$16 65
$ [illegible]	Clearance price	$ 4 95
$ [illegible]	Clearance price	$ 2 45



Buffets

$15 00	Now	$75 75
[illegible]	Now	$21 60
[illegible]	Now	$28 80
$ [illegible] 00	Now	$14 85
$ [illegible] 00	Now	$22 50
$ [illegible]	Now	$26 25



Rockers

$ [illegible] 0	Special	$ 5 0
$ [illegible] 0	Special	$ [illegible]
$1 0	Special	$ 8 10
$ [illegible]	Special	$ 4 15
$10 00	Special	$ 7 40
$1[illegible] 0	Special	$11 5

In the Drapery Department

Hundreds of articles are reduced to close out at once before stock taking. For instance:

[illegible] wool every odd pair of curtains in our entire stock [illegible] the material [illegible] scheme price this month Variety of cut in prices ranging from $1 00 to $30 00 the pair

We hold such a sale only at Special seasons the first week's [illegible] the sale that we have made [illegible] another [illegible] this week These cushions are covered with remnants and [illegible] ences of high grade [illegible] Velours Brocades Damasks and Silks at the choice [illegible]

[illegible] 85 each of [illegible] with [illegible] the material [illegible] shades will [illegible] Silk Floss Very large [illegible] trim this Sale [illegible] inch [illegible] Cloth [illegible] 40 [illegible] inch French [illegible] $1 [illegible] Tapestry [illegible] 50 inch Burlap [illegible] [illegible] 27 inch [illegible] 40 inch Cretonne [illegible] 36 inch Portiere [illegible] Tapestry [illegible]

[illegible] Scotch [illegible] this [illegible] 45c the yard

[illegible] Scotch Madras [illegible] $1 00 yard

[illegible] Scotch Madras [illegible] $1 25 yard

[illegible] Scotch Madras [illegible] 75c the yard

[illegible] Madras [illegible] 31 50 the yard

Pedestals

$ [illegible]	Now	$11 05
$ [illegible]	Now	$ 8 85
$ [illegible]	Now	$ 7 90
$ [illegible]	Now	$ 6 15
$ [illegible]	Now	$ 4 75
$ [illegible]	Now	$39 80

52nd Annual Clearance Curtain Sale

All profit forgotten

[illegible] Fine Swiss with Dawn Work [illegible] tion Cream Net Panels $ [illegible] pair $1 50

Novelty Ecru Net and Swiss Cream Ivory or White [illegible] 3 yards long $1 [illegible] pair for 95c

2½ and 3 Yards Long Heavy Point de Paris and Renaissance Insertions All [illegible] reg $ 00 and $1 25 values [illegible] pair $1 00

Novelty Effects in Fine Mercerized Scrim Net Panels $1 50 pair $1 00

Imported Scrim Curtains with Fine [illegible] Edges $ [illegible] pair $2 00

Extra Long Length Heavy Marquisette Net Panels reg $3 00 pair $2 00

Imported Silk and Novelty Scrim Net Panels [illegible] Ecru or White $4 00 pair $3 00

Beige Color, [illegible] $5 00 pair $4 00

Fine Swiss Lace Edge Net Curtains with Corner Medallions reg $2 50 pair $1 75

Fine Swiss Novelty Net Curtains with Cluny Lace Edge reg $3 pair $2 00

Fine Novelty Net Curtains with Cluny Lace Edge reg $4 pair $2 75

Marie Wave Fine Nottingham, with Cream Edge [illegible] for $2 75

White Mercerized Curtains reg 85c 25c each

Fine Novelty Net Curtains reg $3 75 $1 50

Fine Novelty Net with Corner Medallions $3 50 pair $2 25

Fine Swiss Novelty Net Curtains $3 50 Border reg $2 pair $2 00

Fine Novelty Net Curtains with Cluny Lace reg $2 pair $1 00

Marie Wave Fine Nottingham, with Cream Edge [illegible] for $2 75

White Mercerized Curtains reg 85c 25c each

Fine Novelty Net Curtains reg $3 75 $1 50

Fine Novelty Net with Corner Medallions and Cluny Lace Edge [illegible]